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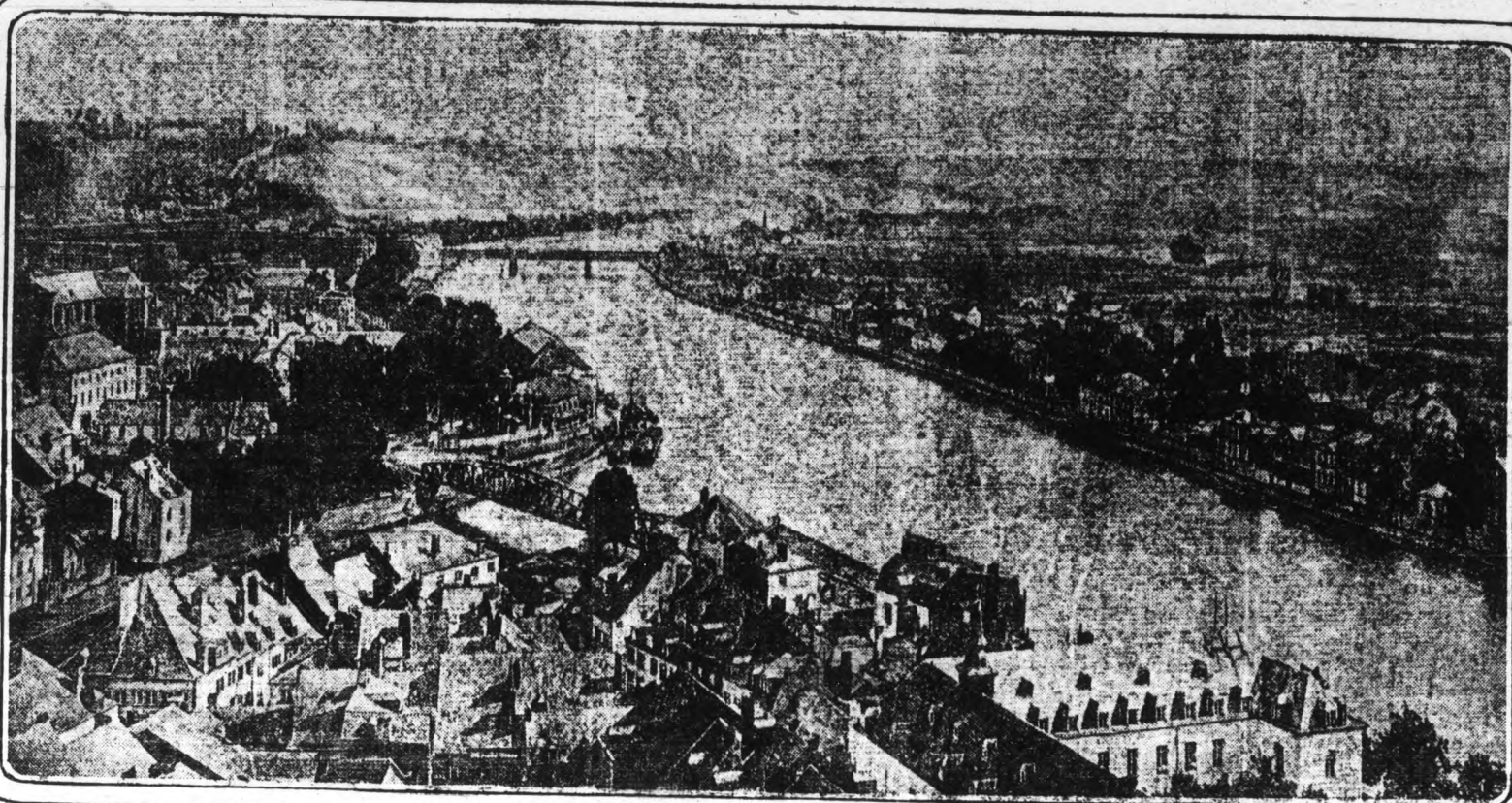
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## FOUR NAMUR FORTS HOLD OUT.



BIRD'S-EYE VIEW OF HISTORIC CITY OF NAMUR

### French Deny That Namur City Fallen

London, Aug. 25, 9.56 p.m.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Paris says it is denied at the French capital that the Belgian city of Namur has been taken by the Germans.

London, Aug. 25.—The official war information bureau says: "It is announced that Namur has fallen."

Berlin, Aug. 25, by wireless to the Associated Press by way of Nauen, Germany and Sayville, L. I.—An official announcement made public here to-day says that the city of Namur and five of its forts have been captured by the Germans. The bombardment of the four other forts continues and their fall seems imminent.

Allies Are Holding Their Own in North.

Paris, Aug. 25.—The following official announcement was made here to-day: "The German offensive movement in the north, which was stopped yesterday, appears to-day to have been resumed."

"The enemy, however, is being held back by a French army acting in conjunction with a British army and a Belgian army."

"The armies of the allies surprised the enemy and drove their advance back. The allies have gone beyond Malines. The Belgian army came from Antwerp."

Fall So Soon Will Require Explanation.

London, Aug. 25.—Commenting on the fall of Namur before the Germans, the Times says it is one of those inexplicable events which make the war gamble what it is. That Namur shall have fallen in two days will require a deal of explanation, the Times adds.

The Times military expert says it is too early to say that the line of the Meuse south of Metz must be abandoned, but the outlook is not favorable, and the developments of the situation in the next few days will be watched with legitimate anxiety.

Townpeople Were Not Too Enthusiastic.

He continues: "There are reports that the townspeople and even the garrison of Namur were less well disposed than the men of Liege to offer a strenuous resistance and so bring on their town the punishment meted out by Germans to Liege."

"There is undoubtedly some slight feeling among the Belgians that they have not been adequately supported by the allies, and that they have borne the whole brunt of the war in the north, but we cannot believe the Belgians did less than their duty and we expect to hear that they were attacked by overpowering numbers."

Germany is Trying to Gain Time.

Reviewing the general situation, the expert points out that the allies in Belgium are getting the full shock of the German army. He says it is essential for Germany that she should deal a paralyzing blow in this quarter in order to gain time to detach troops to resist the Russian attack on the Prussian frontier.

"Yesterday was a day of bad news, and we fear more must follow" the London Times says to-day in an editorial on the fall of Namur.

Britain Must Continue to Remain Confident.

"In the first phase of the battle," the paper continues, "the Germans appear to have won ground all along the line save in the area held by the British. We were prepared for the ebb and flow of conflict, but not for the fall of Namur."

"We have to face this situation with unshaken confidence. We have to remember that the battle is not yet over. The Germans have not yet burst their way through France. We have to remember that this is only the first great encounter of a war which plainly is destined to be a long one. For the allies it is a phase; for the Germans it is vital. They are dealing their blows with tremendous vigor, but the issue in Belgium still hangs in the balance, in spite of the unfortunate events at Namur."

Allies Can Gain by Delays at Present.

"Whatever the upshot, Great Britain and her allies will face the outlook with dogged determination and continue the war until the spirit of Prussian militarism is routed out of Europe."

"Time fights on the side of the allies. With the Germans it is neck or nothing, but the French and the British have everything to gain by waging delaying war."

"While the issue remains uncertain, we may still maintain the stoutest hope. Should it go against us, we may remember that the allies have not, like Germany, staked all on their first venture. Our ultimate success is certain, and we will never sheath our sword until Germany has been finally beaten to her knees."

Late war news dispatches on page 13.

### FIGHTING IS GENERAL THROUGHOUT FLANDERS

Twenty-five Thousand Germans Surrounded; Battle Fought Near Ostend

London, Aug. 25.—A dispatch to the Times from Ostend sent to-day says that 30,000 Germans are attacking Malines, a Belgian city, thirteen miles southeast of Antwerp. Skirmishes are general in Northwestern Flanders.

In East Flanders desperate fighting between outposts took place at Oudenarde and Renaix. The losses were heavy on both sides Monday. Twenty-five thousand Germans have been surrounded between Courtrai and Anseghem, six miles west of Oudenarde. Fighting was progressing Sunday at Perennes, between Mons and Pinche, and between Waterghem and Oudelede. The Handelsblad says that since Monday no Germans have been in Brussels. Arrivals from Liege state that many houses were burned there last week. German soldiers have inscribed on the walls of the city, "William II, Emperor of Europe."

A dispatch from Ostend to the Evening News says there is fierce fighting between Belgian gendarmes and the German cavalry in the outskirts of the city. Wounded are being brought in.

The dispatch adds that the encounter was between a detachment of German cavalrymen and 300 Belgians. It appears that the Germans, early in the morning, while making their way from Sneskerke to Ostend, came into contact with the guards in the vicinity of Leffinghae, some three miles from Ostend.

After a fierce fight the Germans were driven back with the loss of several men and officers wounded, while the gendarmes lost three killed and several wounded.

### SERBIA WAGING WAR NOW WITHOUT QUARTER

Will Take all Measures of Reprisal Compatible With International Law.

Paris, Aug. 25.—That Serbia is preparing to wage a war of no quarter to her enemies is indicated in a note sent by Serbia to the French government protesting against the alleged order from the headquarters of the Austrian army to burn Serbian crops and to fire Serbian villages all along the Austrian line of march.

This note says further that in view of the Austrian cruelties to Serbian troops, it will be difficult to restrain the Serbians from measures of revenge and that the Serbian government finds itself constrained to take all measures of reprisal compatible with international law.

### RUSSIANS SUCCEED AGAINST AUSTRIANS AND TAKE PASSES

Paris, Aug. 25.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg sets forth that Russian troops, following up their advantage in Galicia, have captured several passes south of Tarnopol, on the Sereth river. Tarnopol is 80 miles to the east of Lemberg.

A division of Austrian cavalry has been routed in Galicia and at a point close to the frontier. The Russians captured two batteries of artillery and 200 prisoners.

### TELEGRAMS FOR JAPAN.

New York, Aug. 25.—Code cablesgrams are now accepted for Japan, subject to censorship and sender's risk.

### BELGIAN FUGITIVES ARRIVE IN HOLLAND

Camp for Two Thousand is Being Arranged at Oudeirum.

Maastricht, Holland, via London, Aug. 25, 2.12 p.m.—Fugitives from Belgium continue to arrive here. Many of them are slightly wounded. The total number of these fugitives is now nearly 7,000 and they are being cared for in sheds. Those who have made their way here during the last few days are mostly from the vicinity of Malines. There has arrived also a large number of Belgian farmers who consider it no longer safe to stay on their lands. They say that the treatment of Belgians by the Germans has been none too good, but the opinion prevails here that this treatment is due to overt acts on the part of the peasants. Many of the refugees at Maastricht to-day fought in 1870 and 1871.

The Hague, Aug. 25.—A camp for interned Belgians, of whom there are about 2,000 in Holland now, is being constructed at Oudeirum, in Friesland.

It is understood here that the Belgians wounded in the fighting against Germany up to the present time number about 50,000. The first casualty list published contains the names of 2,000 Belgian dead. Conservative estimates made here place the total dead at about 18,000.

### BUYING 15,000 HORSES.

Lafayette, Ind., Aug. 25.—Members of a local stock buying firm began to-day buying horses, which are to be shipped to France for use in the allied armies. The local firm announced it had received an order for 15,000 animals from the French government.

### TRAMP STEAMER HELD.

New York, Aug. 25.—A tramp steamship, believed to be an Austrian, was held up shortly after 11 o'clock to-day by a cruiser, supposed to be British, just outside New York harbor, according to observers at Fire Island.

### FEARFUL CRIMES ARE CHARGED TO GERMANY

Made Miners Walk to Death and Fired on Red Cross Building

London, Aug. 25.—The following announcement was given out to-day by the official information bureau: "The Belgian minister in London has made the following statement: 'In spite of solemn assurances of good treaty obligations of long standing, Germany has made a savage and utterly unwarranted attack on Belgium.'

"However sore pressed we may be, Belgium never will fight unfairly; she never will stoop to infringe the laws and customs of legitimate warfare. She is putting up a brave fight against overwhelming odds. She may be beaten, she may be crushed, but, to quote the words of our noble king, she never will be enslaved."

"When German troops invaded our country, the Belgian government issued a public statement which was placarded in every town, village and hamlet, warning all civilians to abstain scrupulously from hostile acts against the troops of the enemy, and the Belgian press has daily published similar notices broadcast through the land."

"Nevertheless the German authorities have issued statements lately containing grave imputations against the attitude of the Belgian civilian population and threatening us at the same time with 'dire reprisals.' These imputations are contrary to the real facts and as to threats of future vengeance, no menace of odious reprisals on the part of the German troops will deter the Belgian government from protesting before the civilized world against the fearful crimes committed deliberately by the invading hosts against helpless non-combatants, old men, women and children."

Paris, Aug. 25.—A dispatch to the Havas agency from Ostend, Belgium, says that at Charleroi the German troops obliged ten Belgian miners, who had just come out of a mine with lamps in their hands, to march at the head of their advance. All the miners were killed. Similar tactics, according to this same authority, were employed at Monteur Marchienne, in the province of Hainaut, where 200 German troops lost their way and got into the range of the French guns.

The Germans attempted to bombard the Charleroi railroad station from Jeumont St. Antoine. Furthermore, they are reported as having fired on Charleroi prison, although this building was flying Red Cross flags.

### NEUTRALITY PROCLAMATION.

Washington, Aug. 25.—President Wilson to-day issued a proclamation declaring the United States neutral in the war between Germany and Japan.

### DEFENSIVE WORKS AT NAMUR NOT SO STRONG AS LIEGE

London, Aug. 25.—The fortifications of Namur and Liege formed the finest examples of the famous Belgian military engineer, General Henri Alexis Brillmont, whose reputation was world-wide. The defensive works of Namur were not so strong as those of Liege, but the position of the city was much better for military purposes.

The forts were nine in number, the four important being St. Heribert, Audoye, Suallee and Cornelles, while the connecting forts of less strength are Dave, Maizeret, Marchivolet and Emynes.

All are protected by hardened steel domes, generally eight of them in each fort, and the artillery, consisting of modern heavy disappearing guns, is very powerful.

### ADVANCE OF GERMANS LEAVES THEM EXHAUSTED

British Troops First Engaged Enemy Friday and Saturday in Scout-ing Parties.

London, Aug. 25.—The French correspondent of the Express says the British troops came into action for the first time on Friday and Saturday. It was only an affair of outposts and scouting, but interesting because of the light it threw on the exhausted condition of the German advance.

The correspondent continues: "Detachments were scouting in the country to the westward of Brussels and south as far as Charleroi. Exhausted though the German cavalry were, known to be as a whole, their success lay in continued rapid advance, and it was obvious that they would push on at the first possible moment."

"So while the Belgians were sullenly falling back toward the north, the British cavalry were busily employed feeling for the inevitable German advance, while the French horse, foot and artillery came up from the south and west."

### COUNT TISZA BLAMED FOR WAR BY AUSTRIA

New York, Aug. 25.—That it was Count Tisza and not the aged Emperor Franz Joseph who is held responsible by the Austrians for the European war is the declaration made last night by Rabbi Mayer Kopstein to his congregation here while telling of his experiences as an American refugee in Vienna when Austria declared war on Serbia.

"I went to bed comfortably one night in Vienna," he said, "with plenty of resources at my command. On every lip that night was the name of Count Tisza. The people know informally that it was he who had written the ultimatum to Serbia and it was in the air that Germany could be counted on to leap to Austria's aid and that Russia would back up Serbia."

### SECOND FORCE FROM CANADA IS PLANNED

Before First Contingent Arrives in Europe Number Two Will Be Formed

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 25.—Another expeditionary force is being organized by the Canadian militia authorities. The first army division of twenty-two thousand men will be on troop ships crossing the Atlantic by the middle of next month. Before they land in Europe the mobilization of another force will be almost accomplished. It is being practically forced on the Canadian military authorities by the development of military spirit in Canada.

When the call for men first went out there appeared to be reluctance at some points in the response. However, by the time the troop trains began moving the desire to enlist had almost become an epidemic. Men climbed on the troop trains, and refused to be put off. As a result there will be about thirty thousand infantry in camp at Valcartier instead of the twenty thousand which were sought.

Thus unusual rush of infantry has interfered somewhat with the movement of artillery to Valcartier. The foot soldiers have spread over most of the ground which has been prepared for all of the forces. As a result the artillery units will continue to drill at battery and brigade headquarters until Friday or Saturday of this week, when they will go on to camp. The arrangement suits them as they will be able to complete at home all the preparations which they have to make before taking the field.

### ALSACE CAMPAIGN IS OF SECONDARY IMPORTANCE

Paris, Aug. 25.—An official bulletin says: "In Lorraine after the counter attacks of yesterday the right of the French forces withdrew to the river Mortagne, which is a continuation of the Meurthe, from Lunéville to Nancy."

"In Alsace French troops repulsed a number of German attacks directed against Colmar."

"The report of the capture of Muelhausen by the Germans is without foundation. Moreover, the theatre of operations in Alsace is becoming of secondary importance."

### FORTS AT CATTARO DESTROYED BY FLEET

Rome, Aug. 25.—A dispatch to the Corriere d'Italia from Antivari, Montenegro, says the fortifications of Cattaro, the Austrian seaport in Dalmatia, on the Adriatic, have been destroyed and that the Austrian commander is now parleying for terms of surrender. The bombardment of Cattaro was conducted by a fleet of the allies.







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1 Tin Old Dutch Cleanser, 9¢	1 lb. Will's Navy Cut Tobacco, only \$1.25
16-lb. Tin Eggo Baking Powder, only 25¢	1 Bottle Punch or A1 Sauce, 20¢
1 large Pkg. Silent Matches, 20¢	1 Bottle H. P. Sauce, 23¢
1 Bottle Enos Fruit Salt, 75¢	1 Pkg. Quaker Oats, 8¢
2 Tins 2-in-1 Shoe Polish, black, tan or white, 15¢	1 Pkg. Corn Flakes, 17¢
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### ACADEMICIAN STRIPS WAR OF ITS TRIFLES

Ultimate Outcome is Point that Holds All—Skirmishes Do not Count Much.

Paris, Aug. 25.—Alfred Capus, the academician, writing in the Figaro in a vein common to Paris newspapers, says: "Now that a million men are clashing together on the same battlefield, now that in a few days the first knot is going to be cut, public opinion ought to be concentrated on this event and its consequences. It should not allow itself to be influenced by episodes, no matter how thrilling or pathetic they may be. All these become of secondary consequence in comparison to the prodigious happenings of the battle in Belgium, which is now looked for from one moment to another."

"Let us, therefore, no longer dissipate our emotion. It might be that at a given time we should no longer be able to control it. During these terrible days let us force ourselves not to think either of our victory in Muelhausen nor of our check in Lorraine."

"We are told that the Zeppelin airship No. 8 has been brought down. So much the better, but this means only one engine less in the hands of the barbarians. That is no longer a cause of patriotic exultation."

"I should like also to ignore the German atrocities. I do not want to read any more of these heartrending stories in the newspapers."

"These are the reflections it is our duty to make to-day."

#### A GOOD EXAMPLE.

Cowan Company, of Toronto, Announces No Increase in Price of Cowan's Perfection Cocoa.

The Cowan Co., of Toronto, announces that there will be no increase in price of Cowan's Perfection Cocoa between now and Christmas, and at the same time declare their confidence in the underlying stability of Canadian business conditions by stating that they expect to run their factory full time and at full wages.

It is to be hoped that other Canadian manufacturers will hasten to follow their lead. There is no room for excuse in this land of almost limitless resources for panic action looking towards hard times or shortage in food supplies. Manufacturers should realize that the present European war, with the partial or total suspension of foreign imports in food stuffs, textiles and many other lines, can result only in better business conditions in Canada.

Bearing these facts in mind, efforts toward quieting the present uneasiness and restoring food stuffs markets to normal will not only display a high order of patriotism, but will be demonstrated to be extremely good business.

### COWICHAN INDIGNANT AT INCREASED PRICES

Women's Institute Supplying Fruit for Victoria Direct to Consumer

Duncan, Aug. 24.—Considerable indignation is expressed throughout the district at the putting up of the prices of staple commodities. Since the declaration of war sugar has been advanced twice \$1 a cwt. each time. The Women's Institute is trying to help things out by saving the enormous quantities of fruit and vegetables that yearly go to waste. One of our foremost fruit growers estimates that ten carloads of pears and plums alone annually rot on the ground or are fed to pigs.

The institute has obtained the consent of the government that for the time being the shipping restrictions on fruit and vegetables going to our nearby cities will be to some extent put aside, to allow this food to be marketed cheaply in Victoria. The Cowichan creamery has also kindly given the institute the use of a room and will allow the fruit and vegetables to be sold from their store on North Park street, Victoria. The first shipment is to be sent on Wednesday next and the Household League of Victoria will give all the help they can in advertising. In this instance the fruit will be sold direct from producer to consumer.

A good number of men have enlisted and more are putting down their names every day. The men of the Cowichan Home reserve are to serve in any local capacity in aid of the civil or military authorities. James Greig will instruct them.

A branch of the St. John's ambulance is to be formed at a meeting to be held on Monday evening next and first aid classes for both men and women are to begin at once.

The Quamichan Red Cross branch was formed at a meeting of ladies held at the St. Peter's rectory on Thursday afternoon last. Mrs. Clouston was elected president and Miss Haywood and Miss Sutherland secretaries.

It was decided for the present not to send socks nor field dressings to the camps until more information should be obtained but for the present to sew for the children of the soldiers who have gone to the front and in any other way to help their families. There was a good attendance and much interest was shown.

The ladies of Cowichan Station and Cowichan Bay have also formed a branch of the Red Cross society, with Mrs. Tooker as president and Mrs. Moss as secretary.

Mrs. David Alexander, Mrs. H. Fry, of Duncan, and Mrs. Mainy, of Chemainus, are spending a fortnight at the Sol Duc hot springs.

Miss Stephenson, daughter of the Rev. F. S. Stephenson, has just been appointed probationer at the Duncan hospital. Miss Rodgers, who graduates this month, has been taken on as head nurse and Miss Murton, who also graduates, after a short period of private nursing, intends to take a post graduate course in a large hospital.

Mrs. Kennington has for the first time won the Hayward cup, which carries with it the lawn tennis championship in ladies' singles of the Cowichan district.

L. W. Huntington has contributed \$100 towards the patriotic fund for use in the district.

### EMPEROR'S NEPHEW IS PRISONER OF FRENCH

German Patents in France to be Annihilated—Strassburg Garrison Annihilated.

Paris, Aug. 25.—A dispatch to the Eclair from Contrai says that the emperor's nephew, Count von Schwerin, has been taken prisoner. He was in command of a detachment of 1,000 men who reached Harlebeke, French chateau, being informed of the presence of the Germans, arrived and killed one, wounding five and made prisoners of the others.

According to the Matin, the ministry of commerce is considering the best means of annulling German patents and trade marks in France, following the similar practice adopted in Great Britain.

A dispatch from Geneva says that a business man who has just returned from Strassburg gives his impressions, which are printed in the Tribune. He says that the garrison of Strassburg was practically annihilated in the battle of Schirmeck.

Of 5,000 men who went into the fight, only 1,800 returned. Four German batteries were put out of action before they were able to fire a shot.

### AUSTRIANS MOVING ON THE ITALIAN FRONTIER

Rome, Aug. 25.—The Secolo says that notwithstanding the denials of the Austrian government certain Austrian troops are massing on the Italian frontier. The movements were discreet at first, but orders from Vienna in the last 48 hours compelled precipitate action, the efforts of which were visible at Trent, where there is an incessant movement of troops. The paper adds that there were also 30,000 Albanian troops at Innesbruck.

#### AUSTRIANS DRIVEN BACK.

Nish, Servia, Aug. 25.—Servian troops reoccupied Shabatz at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of Monday, August 24, according to an official communication to-day.

The Austrians have been "thrown back on the other bank of the River Save, and every bit of Servian territory has now been cleared of the enemy."

### BUY CANADIAN GOODS HELP HOME WORKERS

Women at Ottawa Advise How People of Dominion Can Stand Together

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—"At a time when the Empire is straining every nerve against the common enemy, it is essential that each and every section of the community should stand together. Canada is sending her soldiers to the help of Great Britain, but it must be remembered that scarcely less effective help can be rendered by keeping trade and industries prosperous through the Dominion. No one is able to say how the strain of war will affect us. Already there is a prospect of unemployment on a considerable scale during the coming winter. There are many ways in which the evil of unemployment can be fought, but one way is to keep up the demand for Canadian products in order that Canadian industries may continue in operation. Articles that are being produced in Canada are also being imported annually to the value of \$104,839,879. By purchasing only commodities produced in Canada we should largely increase the output of our industries and provide employment for large numbers of workmen. To attain this desirable end it is hoped that, in so far as possible, housewives and others will buy products made in Canada."

This was the resolution passed at a meeting of several leading Canadian women in Ottawa on Saturday. They met to discuss ways and means where by the women of Canada could effectively lend their assistance in tiding Canada over the stress and trial of the coming winter.

Official figures relating to the importation of goods produced in Canada were laid before the meeting, and it was found that in certain products \$30,337,083 worth of the \$104,839,879 imported came from the United States alone. For instance, Canada, which is a wheat country herself, imports \$388,617 worth of wheat flour from the United States. If Canadian women would see that they purchased Canadian flour only, this in itself would be a great help.

In the production of these articles of household use there are 1,311 establishments throughout Canada, and there are 82,639 employees. It would stimulate industry, and it would mean employment for more if Canadian men and women would insist upon everything being Canadian goods when making purchases.

### GOVERNMENT THREATENS FOOD PRICE MANIPULATORS

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—The following statement dealing with food prices was given out by the premier last night:

"While the action of the majority of the dealers throughout the country during the present crisis has been characterized by a sense of fairness and justice, nevertheless several complaints have reached the government that arbitrary and burdensome increases in the cost of certain necessities of life have been made in some localities without any sufficient or substantial cause or reason. Under these circumstances it is desirable to have it generally known and understood that under the wide powers which have been conferred on it by parliament, the government has the right to investigate and deal promptly with any case or cases of unjustifiable increase or oppression or combination."

"Under the grave circumstances which have met us at the outbreak of the war, any course which would be oppressive or unfair towards the laboring classes, and generally those possessed of small fixed incomes, is most strongly to be condemned and will demand the exercise by the government of all the powers at its command."

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## GERMANY STAKING HER ALL.

The result of three days' fighting along the Meuse and the Moselle has been a decided setback for the allies, who have been compelled to retire to other positions. According to the announcement of the French publicity bureau, they endeavored to stem the tide of invasion by counter attacks both east and west of the Meuse, and from Nancy along the Lorraine frontier, which were beaten off with severe losses to both sides. One of the offensive movements was conducted by several army corps which France had brought from Africa. These comprise Zouaves and Chasseurs d'Afrique, who are accustomed to charging pell-mell against desert zirebas, and who no doubt tried the same tactics through the wooded country in the Ardennes. The failure of their attack and the offensive movement east of the Meuse naturally affected the whole allied battle line, including the British force on the left wing, involving a general retirement.

Reading between the lines, it would appear that French temperament had not a little to do with the reverse. For many years the French have hugged the delusion that the next war with Germany would re-establish the superiority they gained under Napoleon, and that after the preliminary shock they would march on Berlin. "On to Berlin!" has been the popular cry of the streets ever since 1870. Added to this quixotic sentiment was the idea of revenge for the dismemberment of Alsace and Lorraine and the obliteration of the stain imposed on the French escutcheon when the victorious Prussian legions occupied them in the last war. This last consideration is admitted in Paris to be one of the reasons for the early French inroads into those two fair provinces, incursions which, while originally successful, have been rolled back by the German flood. France could not win in this war if she continued to make such heavy sacrifices for mediaeval caprices. Her duty, as the layman sees it, is to protect her own territory within its heavily fortified limits, thereby holding the enemy long enough to enable the Russian menace in the German rear to make its pressure felt. If the reverse the allied troops have suffered has removed the delusion which military authorities are a unit in describing as France's most dangerous weakness, it will prove a blessing in disguise as far as the issues of the war are concerned, although unhappily the lesson has been dearly bought.

If the French can stand punishment, to employ the vernacular of the prize ring, Germany's final defeat may come sooner than is anticipated. She cannot sustain an overwhelming offensive movement for a prolonged period. She has neither the wealth nor resources in foodstuffs behind her. The feverish energy she is throwing into the movements now being carried on by her huge armies cannot last, simply because it is burning up the oil in her lamp more rapidly than her chief opponents are exhausting their own supplies. Germany anticipates that several shattering blows will crush France's spirit to the very earth, and then she can divert the bulk of her army to the east. If Napoleon III. were at the head of the French nation two or three serious reverses might have that effect, but France has Poincaré, Delcassé and Clemenceau, and will continue the war with undying bitterness even if Paris falls. And behind France in that opposition is the whole dogged force of the British Empire, which is determined that this conflict shall go on until Prussianism is wiped out.

It is gratifying to learn that the British soldiers on the left wing of the allied army hurled back every attack made against them. They are showing themselves to be true to their glorious past. The German army staff has affected some contempt for the size and

quality of the British troops they might have to meet on the continent. When the present force is augmented by a few hundred thousand more, which it certainly will be, it will prove one of the decisive, determining factors of the struggle. Six or seven army corps at present are but a small proportion of the number engaged on either side, but when the war resolves the situation to one in which a relatively small army of fresh troops will count, they will very materially affect the issue.

The fall of Namur after only a few days' fighting will surprise everybody, especially in view of the fact that some of the Liege forts are still hurling destruction into the German ranks. Namur was supposed to be even more strongly fortified than Liege, and if it was captured in the face of full resistance the German losses must have been terrible. At the same time, assuming that the position was taken under those circumstances, we cannot withhold a tribute of admiration for the remarkable military feat which accomplished it. On the other hand, it may be that the allies, remembering Bazaine in Metz forty-four years ago, decided that it would be unwise to lock up a large army in a Belgian stronghold in view of the necessities of the defence of French territory. Belgium can be reconquered later.

In the east Russia's advance has become a serious menace to Germany. She has demoralized the defending armies consisting of five army corps and some 300,000 reserves of the Landwehr. Her cavalry are now sweeping all over the country east of the Vistula, and unless she checked her armies, co-operating with the forces now on the move from the Poland wedge, will be thundering on to Berlin. Even now her troops are four times as far in German territory as the Germans are in France. She has seized the railway lines, making the dispatch of reinforcements difficult. Twenty-one of the twenty-six army corps of German effectiveness are on the French frontier. At least a third, and possibly a half, of this force, soon will be required to meet the Russian invasion. It is because of this growing pressure that Germany has staked everything on her movement towards France; that she is sacrificing her soldiers by the tens of thousands. For her the events of the last few days mean everything; for the allies they are but one phase of a situation they are prepared to maintain for years. She has but one string to her bow; the allies have many. Just as surely as the sun rises Germany will be brought to her knees.

## AN AMERICAN TRIBUTE.

The Baltimore Sun recently published the following splendid editorial tribute to Great Britain, which our readers will appreciate:

"For forty-eight hours the uppermost question in the mind of the world has been, 'What will England do?' And again in that question we pay willing or unwilling homage to the majesty and greatness which that little island represents. The fate of Europe and of civilization has depended frequently before now on England; and the course of empire and of history has been turned hither, or thither according to the attitude which she has assumed in great international crises. Selfish she may be, dominating, and even occasionally 'perfidious,' as the French formerly delighted to call her, but whatever her motives, there can be no question that almost invariably the cause which she has espoused has triumphed, and that the map of the continent has been drawn and redrawn a dozen times through her influence or at her command."

"But for her there might have been to-day no German Empire and no Austrian Empire. When the German States and the Austrian monarchy were both prostrate at the feet of Napoleon, she raised them up, she inspired them with fresh courage, she urged them on to resistance and led them to victory. Her constructive statesmanship, her tireless energy, her business genius, her splendid and unflinching courage, her indomitable obstinacy, overthrew the greatest military commander and the most formidable military empire of modern times. She has been potent in the work of humbling Russia both in the East and in the West, and through her combinations and her money she has set bounds to that mighty power when it seemed about to become a menace in Europe or the Orient. Her influence and her friendship have done much to protect her ancient enemy France at various periods since the Franco-German war, and they have stood like a shield before other smaller countries which might have fallen before the ambition of more powerful neighbors."

"No wonder mankind has been waiting almost breathless to know what this empire-builder, this maker of world-history, would do in such a startling and momentous crisis, for we all feel that if England is the England of old the results of this struggle will be materially affected, if not finally determined, by her action or her non-action. . . . She has no easy task before her in going up against Germany. In contending with her she will be battling with a kindred race, possessing the same moral qualities as herself, superb in intellect, in organization, in science, aflame with splendid patriotism, animated with unquenchable enthusiasm for the fatherland."

"It would be a contest of the gods. And Germany does not shrink from it. The Kaiser has counted the cost, whether actually or not remains to

be seen. But though Germany does not fear, she would be greatly relieved if she did not have to reckon with England."

"Whether we love her or whether we hate her, we must admit England's greatness and the immense power she has wielded and still wields on this little planet."

## UP THEY GO.

A dispatch from Montreal announces that in consequence of the recent increase in the customs duties on cocoa, biscuits, jellies, etc., the prices of these commodities have advanced. The announcement is instructive, finally clinching the argument that the local consumer and not the foreign exporter carries the burden of customs taxation.

However, our main reason for referring to the item is not so much to emphasize the force of the contention we have advanced in time of political controversy as to express the hope that the government will keep a watchful eye on those advances. The practice usually is to raise prices a little beyond the actual amount of the duty, in other words, to exact a super-profit on the customs taxes. This should be strongly discouraged in the present instance. In fact, the authorities should see to it that the advances made are only sufficient to prevent actual loss. This is a time of emergency. As we have pointed out on several occasions, every element of the nation must bear its share of the sacrifice the war involves. Canada is proud to be a part of the Empire, and the Empire is engaged in a war which will inflict suffering and economic dislocation on every part of it. We shall have to make further sacrifices before it is over, but the government will not be doing its duty unless it provides for an equitable distribution of the burden, that is, such a distribution that the heaviest part will fall upon the shoulders best able to carry it.

## MUST FACE THE MUSIC.

"The hide-and-seek game that is being played by the German navy suggests that the Kaiserbund is cherishing another delusion regarding the fleet is being kept out of harm's way in the prospect that the crushing of France and Russia would end the war and Germany's naval power would remain relatively unimpaired."

If such an idea is entertained at Berlin it should go the way of the delusion that Great Britain would not intervene in this struggle because of the prospect of civil war in Ireland. The British Empire is in this fight to the finish. It is determined to bring Prussianism to the ground if it uses up every ounce of its colossal resources: If France and Russia were beaten, an impossible outcome when we reflect upon the enormous resources and wealth of those powers, the British Empire would continue the fight if every part of its twelve million miles, populated by four hundred million, were converted into an armed camp.

The German navy might as well try conclusions now, for the day is coming when it will have to meet the foe waiting for it whether it wants to or not. The longer it waits the worse off it will be, for British shipbuilders are rushing to completion more super-dreadnoughts, cruisers, destroyers and submarines, which will be completed by the end of the year. In time of stress Britain can out-build Germany with ease. The German navy is doomed to destruction.

## TO-DAY'S SUMMARY.

Namur, the Belgian fortress, has fallen into German hands, according to an announcement made by the official press bureau in London. Details of the fighting around the fortress were not given, but the British newspapers regard the fall as inexplicable.

Berlin dispatches say five of the forts of the city of Namur and the city itself have fallen, and the capture of the four remaining forts is imminent. A reverse to the forces of the allies is generally admitted by the British and French newspapers, which say to-day's news is "decidedly bad." While plainly expressing disappointment at the failure of their forces, they declare the retrograde movement toward the line of strong defensive works near the frontier has been carried out in good order.

It is assumed that the allies are falling back on their first line of defensive works running from Maubeuge, in a southeasterly direction by way of Hiersop, Mezierres, Montmedy, Verdun, St. Mihiel, Toul and Epinal, all of which are strong fortresses and are interspersed with smaller works, such as Ayeville, Genicourt, Troyon, Los Paroches, Lianville, Giron, Jile and Jouy Sous les Coles. Behind these lies another strong line of fortifications from St. Quentin in the north through Laon and Reims to the great entrenched camp at Chalons.

The British newspapers declare that both the British and Russian troops are determined to "fight to a finish," whatever the outlook may be at present. They say the possession of Namur was vital for Germany and that it was

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a fine stroke for the Germans to have rushed the place under the eyes of the allies."

In other parts of Belgium fighting is still in progress and a report from Ostend says 30,000 Germans have attacked Malines, thirteen miles from Antwerp.

Charleroi also has been the scene of hot fighting, this time between the French and German troops, and a fresh encounter is believed to have begun there to-day.

Twenty-five thousand Germans have been surrounded between Courtrai and Anseghem, according to an Ostend dispatch to the London Daily Express.

Brussels has been left by the main body of German troops, who have proceeded on their way to the front.

Russian reports relate the advance of the Russian armies in Eastern Prussia and the surprisingly rapid movement of the troops. Russian officials, however, point out that the German territory about the Vistula was strongly fortified along the line of the Russian forward march.

Newspaper dispatches assert that the Austrian fortified port of Cattaro has been destroyed by the allied fleets.

Dispatches from the Serbian provisional capital, Nish, record the victorious offensive movement of the Serbians and Montenegrins against the Austrians, who are said to have suffered very severely.

A Swiss business man reports the garrison of Strassburg to have sustained an appalling total of casualties at Schirmeck, where of 15,000 Germans who went into the conflict only 1,800 returned.

A German dirigible balloon which had flown over Antwerp was brought down by the Belgian artillery to-day and fifteen of its occupants taken prisoner, according to a newspaper dispatch. Another telegram says bombs dropped from the balloon caused several deaths, and one of the missiles struck a hospital, which, however, was occupied only by the medical and nursing staff.

A wireless dispatch from the foreign office in Berlin to the German embassy at Washington records a severe defeat of the French troops by the Germans in a battle which raged from August 17 to 21 and in the course of which more than 150 field guns and 10,000 prisoners were captured. It says Lunerville was taken by the Germans and that the army of General Joffre, the French commander-in-chief, was broken up, making probable a concentric advance of all the German army toward Paris. A wireless dispatch adds that the Duke of Wuertemberg's army, marching through Belgium, has completely crushed the advancing French army and captured many guns, flags and prisoners, among whom were several generals, while another German column defeated a British cavalry brigade to the west of the river Meuse.

German soldiers are said to be inscribing upon the walls of cities to which they are carrying ruin and desolation, "William II., Emperor of Europe!" The Teuton seems to be slightly exuberant over his initial successes, which possibly is natural. But he does not know all that is going on, and has a long road to travel yet before all Europe shall be compelled to shout, "Hoch, der Kaiser!" There may be another fate and a less prominent position being prepared for the first war lord. He may be the last war lord.

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—Main Floor

## An Important Sale of Suit Cases, Trunks and Bags

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Hard Times May Come.—Better put up eggs, butter, pickles, etc., now. Stone crock make the best containers: 1 gal., 35c; 2 gallons, 70c; 3 gallons, \$1.05; 4 gallons, \$1.40; 5 gallons, \$1.75; 6 gallons, \$2.10, at R. A. Brown & Co's, 1302 Douglas St., phone 3712.

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Enlisted Men.—Members of Victoria Aerie No. 12, of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, will kindly forward their name and address to J. M. Hughes, secretary, Box 1319, Victoria, B. C., as the Aerie will keep all such members in beneficial standing during the term of their enlistment.

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The War is Already Sending People Into the Country.—It is the best place in a time like this. Cost of living is lower than in the city because rent and fuel is almost free. On a few acres a cow can be kept and abundance of food can be grown. The Courtenay extension of the E. & N. railway is now in operation. We have 10,000 acres good land between Parkville and Union bay. The land is being subdivided into blocks of ten acres and upwards. The price is \$40 and \$45 per acre in payments over five years. The land can also be leased on very easy terms. Our office will be open from 8 to 9 in the evenings for the benefit of those not able to call during the daytime. Vancouver Island Fruit Lands, Ltd. General agents, Carmichael & Moorehead, Ltd., 608 Belmont House, Victoria, B. C.

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Will Discuss Effects.—To discuss phases of the war and its effects upon local business and finance, the council of the board of trade will meet on Wednesday morning.

Programme by Sts.—Messrs. Sands, Scott, Solly, Surphills and Sweeney will provide the programme at the Rotary club luncheon in the Westholme grill at 1 o'clock Thursday. The following week will be ladies' day.

Will Distribute Fertilizer.—When the matter was mentioned at the city council meeting last evening, his colleagues offered no objection to Alderman Todd's proposal to utilize the garbage, if of a suitable character, for fertilizer in connection with the vacant lots improvement scheme.

Weather Conditions Fair.—The whole of British Columbia at present enjoying the most perfect of harvesting weather. The prairie provinces, however, are not so fortunate, and Alberta and Saskatchewan are reported as having suffered exceptionally heavy rains, which at this season of the year are not welcomed by farmers.

Denies Liability.—The city council, on the advice of the city solicitor, has repudiated any liability for damages for an accident sustained by Eleanor Halpin, who was burned by the discharge of fireworks at the Victoria Day celebration, May 25. Proceedings have been commenced in the Supreme court against the city, unstated damages being claimed on behalf of the child.

Back from Europe.—Angus Campbell returned to-day after spending three months in Europe on the business of his firm. Mr. Campbell purchased extensively in evening dresses, cloaks and novelties when in Paris, and completed his buying in London and New York on his return trip. He was met in Seattle by Mrs. Campbell, who returned with him to-day.

Back to the Land Movement.—The scheme of leasing and cultivating vacant lots in and around Victoria is excellent, and should commend itself to everyone. There are many, however, who would prefer to lease a few acres with an option to purchase when convenient and so build up a permanent home in the country. You can select what you want from thousands of acres in the vicinity of Parkville and on the E. & N. railway extension to Courtenay. For full information apply to Vancouver Island Fruit Lands, Limited, General Agents, Carmichael & Moorehead, Ltd., 608 Belmont House, Victoria, B. C.

Found Not Guilty.—In dismissing a charge of being in possession of a stolen bicycle preferred against Wong Chew, Magistrate Jay uttered a warning against ching boys buying bicycles promiscuously from the ladies.

While his worship was satisfied the Wong Chew had told the truth and that he had merely borrowed the bicycle from his friend, Wong Yuen, he had grave doubts as to the veracity of the last-named witness, and could not believe his statement that he had purchased the bicycle from a white boy two weeks before, especially when the evidence was that Mr. Pauling had missed the machine only for one week.

This fact, however, remarked the magistrate, did not reflect on Wong Chew, who had no knowledge of guilt in the transaction.

"Lucky" Heather Sold.—The Daughters of the Empire yesterday obtained a quantity of purple and white heather, for which they found a ready sale among erstwhile sons and daughters of Bonnie Scotland now living in the city. Friends and members of the 50th Highland regiment, particularly, did their best to secure a bit of the emblematic flower, and the whole quantity was soon disposed of. The local secretary has received a further sum of \$12.75 collected by the Colwood Women's Institute. The I. O. D. E. rooms will present a busy aspect. Sewing classes are under consideration for the purpose of making clothing for distribution. On Saturday the Lady Douglas chapter presented the 50th regiment with the Union Jack which now waves over the Willows camp.

## WOULD ERECT OIL PLANT AT VICTORIA

### Council Is Asked for Permission for Building of Receiving Storage Station

Permission to erect in Victoria a receiving storage plant for oils was asked of the city council last evening by the Imperial Oil Company, Ltd., of Vancouver. The company, which already has a storage plant here, wrote through C. M. Rolston, its manager, as follows:

"It is most important from a commercial standpoint for us to have a receiving storage plant for oils located on or near the waterfront in your city, as we should be able to make deliveries to your city of petroleum and all its products by tank boats.

"Before deciding, the question of a location we would respectfully ask your permission for establishing such a plant inside your city limits if a suitable location is found. This plant would be constructed in the most modern and careful way from an oil storage standpoint. It would consist of a warehouse, office building, pipe lines, storage tanks for the accommodation of gasoline, coal oil, distillate, and fuel oil. These tanks would have to be approximately the following sizes: For light products capacity 5,000 barrels each; for fuel oil approximately 35,000 barrels.

"The class of construction of course will be of the most fire proof kind, and the plant will be surrounded by a reinforced concrete wall and other conditions will depend greatly on the location which will be selected."

Mr. Rolston went on to speak of the steps taken to reduce the fire hazard which, he says, is not so serious as might be expected in this class of risk. Ald. Todd strongly supported the provision of these tanks, pointing out the danger in which the city stood from famine in the way of oil supply. The council decided to reply that the proposal is favorably considered, and that when the company is ready, a committee will be appointed to go into the matter.

### ESTIMATES POSSIBILITIES

City Assessor Thinks There Are 10,000 Lots of All Classes of Soil and Rock Vacant in City Limits.

There are probably ten thousand lots vacant within the limits of the city, apart from the various large numbers in the suburban municipalities, and of these lots the number in the city suitable for cultivation is about one-half. Such is a rough estimate made to-day by the city assessor, rising out of the proposal to establish a Vacant Lots Garden club here.

The industrial commissioner has received further information from Calgary with regard to the matter, from which it appears that in the first year of organization there have been 400 lots established in that city. In 1913 it is expected that the total will be 1,000. As the Victoria lots are larger, generally speaking, than the Calgary lots, there will be more opportunity for the cultivation of vegetables here than at the Albertan city.

Sumner's letters bear testimony to the interest in the scheme, and by the time the sub-committee meets again on Friday it is hoped that some definite direction can be given to the proposal.

An effort to establish a demonstration lot will be one of the first undertakings of the sub-committee.

Consult Admiralty.—Although blasting is being permitted in Esquimalt during the day-time, the council assembled in committee last night decided to consult the admiralty department before letting the sewer contract for the village district, where practically all the work will be blasting. It is believed no operations will be permitted to proceed as in the rest of the municipality.

Molested Ladies.—For molesting ladies on View street yesterday afternoon while in an intoxicated state, McLeod Stewart was this morning sentenced to a fine of \$25 or one month's imprisonment by Magistrate Jay. His worship made strong comment on the prisoner's behavior, stating that a good thrashing would have been his due. Accused's defence was that he remembered nothing, being in an advanced state of intoxication. The arrest was made by Mounted Constable Allen.

## ADOGRAM No. 20

The sheriff's sale is the only thing sure to come to the business that waits. Success comes to those who go after it.

## IMPORTANT SOCCER MEETING IS CALLED

### Teams Will Register at Tomorrow's Gathering; War Affects Clubs in Britain

Surprises are looked for at to-morrow night's meeting of the Victoria Football association when the different clubs will file their applications for admission to the senior, intermediate and junior football divisions. The withdrawal of the Wards and the Sons of England eleven is looked for, though the Wards will probably retain their franchise in the second division. One or two new clubs will make their appearance in the intermediate league, while in the junior division it is expected that there will be at least six clubs available to start the season. Announcement will be made by the executive as to the dates for the different cup-tie competitions and registration of the league players will commence.

Many of the old country provincial clubs at least may find it difficult to place a team on the field, as the ranks of some of them have been badly depleted as a result of the territorial call to arms. Practically every provincial club has players in the "trenches," some of them four and five, and they cannot afford to sign more men, and have an excess of players on the list. Financially also the present crisis will have a severe effect. Cheap fares have been cancelled, and this will make it a matter of the utmost difficulty for clubs to keep their dates. This will specially be felt in the Central league, where the expense of travelling is particularly heavy.

Of course the big league clubs which have players called up will not be so badly hit, as they have reserves handy and money to work on.

A prominent club official, interviewed on the matter, was emphatic in his opinion that there should be no postponement of the opening. Now was the time when people wanted something to take their minds off the war, and even if the entertainment was only for an hour and a half, it would have its good effects.

Panic was to be avoided, and if the football did nothing else, than keep thousands from marching the streets on a Saturday afternoon, it was doing a lot to alleviate the tension for the time being.

From a financial point of view, too, it would be a serious matter for the clubs if the opening was delayed. They were under contract to pay their players, and with no income it would be a serious business for them.

Templeman, Airdrieonians' crack outside right, has been called on to fight for the empire.

### RALLY OF WORKERS

Centennial Church Crowded Last Evening for Rally in Connection With Summer Camp.

Practically every young people's society in the city was represented at the rally held last evening at the Centennial Methodist church in connection with the summer camp which is being held at Cadboro Bay at present. The church was crowded. The pastor, Rev. Thomas Green, presided as chairman of the proceedings and two very interesting addresses were given.

The first speaker was Joseph Patrick, who attended the Sunday school convention held in June at Chicago. Treating the subject in a bright and entertaining manner, Mr. Patrick gave a review of the work undertaken at that big convention, and gave a number of interesting particulars with respect to the growth of Sunday school work and membership in North America during the past few years.

Rev. J. P. Westman reported for the International convention of the Epworth League at Buffalo from July 4 to 12 last, special reference being made to the great parade held in connection with the proceedings, when about thirty thousand delegates marched through the streets to one of the big squares of the city and listened to some of the greatest speakers in the whole continent. Mr. Westman spoke with enthusiasm of the rapid increase which had been made during the year in the membership of the Epworth League. In the course of his address he placed special emphasis on social service work. At one time the Epworth League movement had been largely a prayer movement. Later it had become a missionary movement. To-day there was an excellent course of study for Epworth League along the lines of social service work, which was, in time to come, to prove the strong arm of the church.

At the close of the proceedings, which were listened to with the greatest interest by a crowded meeting, a vote of thanks to both speakers, on motion of Hinkson Siddall, was passed with enthusiasm.

Will Inspect While Here.—While George Kidd, general manager of the B. C. Electric railway, who arrived from Vancouver this morning, is in the city he will pay a visit of inspection to the local branch. This morning he had a long conference with Local Manager Goward.

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### WILL BANQUET VISITORS

Details of Function During Pacific Fire Chiefs' Convention Here Announced; the Programme.

The programme for the convention of the Pacific Fire Chiefs' convention appears below. The arrangements for the banquet were completed to-day. Besides the loyal toast and that of the president of the United States, the toasts will include: "The Victoria City Council and Fire Wardens," to which Mayor Stewart and Alderman Fullerton, chairman of the fire wardens' committee, will reply. "The Underwriters" will be in the hands of R. W. Douglas, representing the Vancouver Island Underwriters' association, and the "Visitors," "The Ladies," and the "Chairman" will be included in the programme.

There will be about 125 delegates here, and most of them will attend the banquet, for which it is expected 150 covers will be laid.

The detailed programme follows:

Tuesday, September 1.  
10 a.m.—Opening of first session with addresses by Mayor Stewart, Ald. W. E. Fullerton and others at city hall.  
2 p.m.—Second business session.  
8 p.m.—Third business session.  
8 p.m.—Theatre party for the ladies.  
Wednesday, September 2.  
9.30 a.m.—Fourth business session.  
2 p.m.—Fifth business session, and at its close the members will make their inspection of the exhibits.  
3 p.m.—Launches leave the slip opposite the Empress hotel precisely on this hour, taking the ladies to an afternoon tea at Gorge park.  
7 p.m.—Sixth business session.  
9 p.m.—Illuminated car ride about the city.  
Thursday, September 3.  
10 a.m.—Automobile drive over the scenic Malahat road to Shawnigan lake, dinner there and return to city at 5.30 p.m.  
9 p.m.—Banquet, Empress hotel, at which the ladies are requested to attend.  
Friday, September 4.  
9.30 a.m.—Seventh business session.  
2.30 p.m.—Parade and exhibition of the Victoria fire department.  
3.50 p.m.—Automobile drive for the ladies and afternoon tea at the residence of Chief Davis.  
7.30 p.m.—Eighth business session, and farewell until 1915.

### Plenished at Cadboro Bay.—

There was a good turnout of grown-ups and smaller folks at the picnic held last Sunday at Cadboro bay under the auspices of the ladies of St. Andrew's and Caledonian society. Well-equipped with hampers of delicious viands, the members of the organization made excellent hostesses, and a delightful luncheon, followed later in the day by an al fresco tea on the beach, was furnished. Nearly all the visitors went equipped with bathing costumes, and the warm sun provided the main pastime of the afternoon. The return to the city was made about 9 p. m.

### FIRST AID AT DUNCAN

Local Centre of St. John Ambulance Association Formed; Classes to Be Started.

At a meeting held in the Odd Fellows' hall, Duncan, last evening, presided over by Kenneth Duncan, it was decided to organize a local centre of the St. John Ambulance association, and to start classes for instruction in first aid to the injured as soon as the necessary preliminaries can be arranged. Of those present 15 enrolled themselves as members of the association, and confidence was expressed that at least as many more would be added to the list of members as soon as it became known through the Cowichan district that the local centre had been formed. Officers and a committee of seven were elected. The officers are: Kenneth Duncan, chairman; Seymour Greene, vice-chairman; G. W. Brookman, hon. secretary-treasurer. These officers are ex-officio members of the committee, the other seven members of which include four men who had been connected with the St. John Ambulance association in England or elsewhere.

Dr. Cecil M. Rolston and Dr. D. M. Baillie, both of whom were present, kindly volunteered to give gratuitous instruction in first aid to the classes that will first be formed. A vote of thanks was passed to E. Jacobs, of Victoria, hon. traveling secretary to the British Columbia council of the St. John Ambulance association, for having attended the meeting and given information relative to the objects of the association and the customary procedure in organizing a local centre, also in regard to what is requisite in connection with forming and carrying on classes in first aid, home nursing, etc. Dr. Rolston was also thanked for the interest he had taken in promoting the local movement.

### To Quickly Remove Ugly Hairs From Face

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Beauty-destroying hairs are soon banished from the skin with the aid of a delatone paste, made by mixing some water with a little plain powdered delatone. This is spread upon the hairy surface for 2 or 3 minutes, then rubbed off and the skin washed to remove the remaining delatone. This simple treatment banishes every trace of hair and leaves the skin without a blemish. Caution should be used to be certain that it is delatone you buy.

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# Along the Waterfront

## Shipping News from Day to Day

### ROBERT DOLLAR BEING DELAYED IN BRAZIL

With Cargo of Lumber from  
Victoria, for Toronto, Awaits  
Developments in Rio Janeiro

Swinging at anchor in the harbor of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, awaiting developments that will permit her to continue her journey, lies a lumber-laden vessel that is about to complete a momentous voyage. She is the British steamship Robert Dollar, the last ship to carry a coast-to-coast cargo around Cape Horn. The Panama canal, now open to world traffic, will make it unnecessary in the future for ships to traverse this long historic lane to carry goods between the Pacific and Atlantic coasts of North America.

The Robert Dollar was loaded with lumber at British Columbia mills and cleared from this port more than a month ago with the intention of being one of the first ships to use the Panama canal. Governor Goethals was unable to say at that time, however, just when the canal would be open, so the company directed the ship around the Horn. Her experience affords a concrete example of the value of the canal to shipping, as after a month's steaming she is just about as far along as if she had waited in the bay of Panama and locked through with the first ships on August 15. Had the date of opening been certain the ship's owners could have saved several thousands of dollars in fuel and other running expense.

Incidentally this ship is carrying the largest timber cargo ever taken to the Atlantic coast, about 5,000,000 feet. Most of it is consigned to Toronto, to be shipped by rail from New London, Conn., and will be used in connection with the harbor works there. The opening of the Panama Canal is expected to stimulate this trade and market quantities of Pacific coast lumber in the Eastern cities.

The lumber shippers of the coast are protesting now against what they call a discrimination against them in Panama tolls. By the canal regulations, as promulgated by Prof. Emory Johnson, deck loads must pay according to cubic feet of space occupied on open deck. This makes the lumber trade pay about 20 per cent more than is paid by any other commodity, they say.

For example the Robert Dollar, whose net Panama measurement is 4,482 tons, at \$1.20 per ton, would aggregate \$5,378.40 for passing through the canal loaded with coal, iron or general merchandise. Laden with lumber she would pay \$1,553.50 additional for her deck load, which would be 1,375,000 feet, or 1,375 tons. The ship loaded with heavy general cargo would be down to her Plimsoll marks—carrying about 8,800 tons, while loaded with lumber she would not be quite down to her marks. No charge is levied for deck loads through the Suez canal.

### TO LAY SUEMARINE BELL

The lighthouse tender Leebro left yesterday afternoon for the west coast with supplies for the several lights along that coast. She will also place a submarine bell at Clatsop.

## TIMES SHIPPING CHART

### DEEP SEA ARRIVALS.

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Monmouthshire	Findlay	3,197	Findlay, Durham & Brodie	Antwerp	Sept. 8
Marmora	Rolls	3,932	C. P. R.	Sydney	Aug. 25
Andalusia	Heller	3,571	Gardner Johnson	Hamburg	Aug. 20
Tamara	Tomonaka	3,430	G. Northern	Hongkong	Aug. 26
Crown of Seville	Smith	3,474	Balfour Guthrie	Liverpool	Aug. 28
Palmer	Wood	3,720	Robb, C.N.R.	Liverpool	Aug. 29
Ensom	Hill	2,970	Robb, C.N.R.	Sydney, C.B.	Sept. 1
Wyanotte	Wright	2,712	C. P. R.	Sydney	Sept. 1
Don of Albia	Tomson	3,493	D. & B.	Hull	Sept. 4
Tacoma	Hagana	3,240	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Sept. 4
Akl Maru	Noma	4,923	G. Northern	Hongkong	Sept. 4
San Francisco	Neway	3,700	Robb, C.N.R.	New York	Sept. 10
Makura	Phillips	4,291	C. P. R.	Sydney	Sept. 17
Panama Maru	Kanoa	3,760	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Sept. 17
Snowdon	Evans	2,432	Robb, C.N.R.	Sydney, C.B.	Sept. 20
Sado Maru	Kawakawa	3,540	G. Northern	Hongkong	Sept. 22
Talthebus	Allen	6,590	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	Sept. 22
Historian	Llewellyn	4,465	Balfour Guthrie	Liverpool	Sept. 28
Monteagle	Douglas	3,360	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Oct. 3
Gladstone	Jensen	3,987	Robb, C.N.R.	Sydney, C.B.	Oct. 10
Cardleashire	Warner	5,340	P. D. & B.	Hull	Oct. 20
Brassia		4,258	Gardner Johnson	Hamburg	Nov. 15

### DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES.

Shidzuoka Maru, G.N., Hongkong	Aug. 25
Canada Maru, R.P.Rithet, H.V.C. Sept. 1	
Mauroa, C.P.R., Sydney, N.S.W.	Sept. 1
Tamara Maru, G.N., Hongkong	Sept. 8
Makura, C.P.R., Australia	Sept. 8
Teucer, Dodwell, Liverpool	Sept. 30

### SAILED COMING.

Alliance, Peruvian barque, Inoue	
Birkdale, British barque, from Barry, Wales, for Esquimaux, with coal	
Carrier Dove, American schooner, from Newcastle, N. S. W., for Esquimaux for repairs	
Columbia, American schooner, from Salaverry, Peru, for Royal Roads. To load lumber at Vancouver for Australia	
David Evans, British schooner, from Japan for Royal Roads (lying at Astoria)	

### FERRY SERVICES.

For Vancouver.	
Princess Mary leaves 10:30 a. m. daily.	
Princess Victoria leaves 3:00 p. m. daily.	
Princess Alice leaves 11:45 p. m. daily.	
For Vancouver.	
Princess Mary arrives 6:45 a. m. daily.	
Princess Charlotte arrives 3:00 p. m. daily.	
Princess Alice arrives 6:30 p. m. daily.	
For Seattle.	
Princess Charlotte leaves 4:30 p. m. daily.	

### SHIDZUOKA MARU LEAVES FOR ORIENT

Nippon Liner Went Out This  
Afternoon With Heavy Pas-  
senger List and Freight

This forenoon the Shidzuoka Maru, Captain Iriwawa, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, sailed from her dock in Seattle, and this afternoon about 5 o'clock she will get out from Victoria for Japanese ports.

On the present voyage the steamer is taking one of the biggest lists of passengers she has ever taken on, every berth being filled. She has thirty first-cabin passengers and nearly 200 Asiatic passengers in the steerage. The steerage passengers include about 100 Japanese, 50 East Indians and 40 Chinese. Nearly all of them went aboard here.

The vessel's cargo consists of 1,000 tons of flour, 4,000 tons of wheat, 75,000 feet of lumber and 300 tons of miscellaneous shipments.

As Japan is now at war with Germany Captain Iriwawa states that he will take every precaution known to mariners to protect his ship from detection or capture.

To-morrow the Tamba Maru, of the same line is due in. She has on board passengers and freight for Victoria.

The Canada Maru, of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, which did not call in on her inward trip, goes out on Tuesday next, and will make the usual call here, so far as is known by her agents. No word has so far been received from the head office at Osaka countermanding the stop.

### AMERICAN LEGISLATION ON MERCANTILE MARINE

Washington, Aug. 25.—"Within a few months after the seaman's bill becomes a law American ships on the Pacific coast engaged in foreign trade will be a thing of the past," said Representative Humphrey, of Seattle, in commenting on the house action authorizing consideration of the seaman's bill today. "I suppose the bill will pass and that, eventually, it will become law."

"American vessels on the Pacific coast will be bought by Japanese, and they will dominate the Pacific trade. The seaman's bill also will affect the emergency shipping legislation—Americans contemplating purchasing of foreign ships for American registry will buy them in the face of probable increased cost of operation due to the new seaman's law."

"The only grain of comfort we can get out of this probable new law is that it will not affect the operation of the vessel lines on Puget Sound."

The administration bill to license cotton, tobacco and naval stores warehouses was amended yesterday to include stores of canned salmon to accommodate the Pacific coast industry.

### GOVERNOR CALLS.

The Pacific Coast Steamship company's liner Governor called at the outer wharf here yesterday afternoon and landed 21 passengers and 200 tons of freight, after which she continued on to Seattle.

### PASSENGERS TELL OF THE ALBERT WRECK

Praise for Coolness of Captain  
McKenzie and His Officers  
in Face of Emergency

One of the passengers on board the Prince Albert on her last trip from Vancouver northward was Lieut. J. C. Thorne, of the Irish Fusiliers, in charge of the detachment of the regiment sent to garrison Prince Rupert, and he was on his way back to rejoin his regiment and proceed to Valcartier on the Prince John when the wireless call ordering it to the scene of the wreck was received.

It was ten o'clock last Tuesday night when the message was caught by the wireless operator, as the vessel was approaching the entrance to Grenville channel, and Captain Wearnmouth immediately put her about and headed for Brown passage. In consequence of the dense fog and the pall of smoke which hung over the water, it took eleven hours to locate the wrecked steamer and the boats with the passengers. When the fog lifted slightly about nine o'clock on Wednesday morning last the Prince Albert was sighted with her bow piled high on the rocks.

One boat load of passengers had reached South Dundas island, while the other was still afloat. The former had drifted about all night in the fog, not making land until five o'clock in the morning. All the passengers spoke in the highest terms of the conduct of Captain Duncan McKenzie and his officers. They said that the lifeboats were launched in a very few minutes after the vessel struck, and although there was a good deal of excitement among some of the passengers this was quickly quieted and the boats were filled.

Unfortunately the tackle of the first boat to be lowered broke as the boat was going down and nearly all the passengers in it were thrown out into the water, but all were rescued except the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dermet, settlers from Germany who are living at Masset.

There came down on the Pacific Coast Steamship company's steamer Spokane five other settlers, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hibbert and their family, who were returning to their old home in California. They lost everything in the wreck. A concert was got up on the steamer on the way down and \$50 was realized for the family. They were among those in the first lifeboat and after it fell were in the water for several minutes.

### AMALGAMATION DENIED OF JAPANESE LINES

The rumored forthcoming amalgamation of the Pacific services of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Osaka Shosen Kaisha and Toyo Kisen Kaisha by the formation of a new company has been officially denied at the Tokyo offices of the N. Y. K. Nevertheless the prospects of the T. K. K. are not considered sufficiently good to warrant its running in competition with the other lines with the Panama canal in use, and it is thought probable that it will be absorbed by one or the other of the larger companies.

### MONMOUTHSHIRE COMING ON.

The Royal Mail Steam Packet company's liner Monmouthshire, Captain F. Euleston, which arrived at Yokohama from Antwerp early this month and was ordered to remain there in view of the dangers from German cruisers, is now on her way here. Findlay, Durham & Brodie, agents here for the company, have been advised that the steamer sailed from Yokohama on August 22. If she makes her usual time across she should be here about September 8.

### COMMANDER CORBETT IN CHARGE OF NIOBE

Commander of Algerine Ap-  
pointed to Cruiser; Ship Now  
Fully Manned; on Patrol

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—The naval department announced that when H. M. C. S. Niobe is put in commission for active service on September 1 she will be in command of Commander Corbett, of H. M. S. Algerine.

Two hundred men from H. M. S. Algerine and H. M. S. Shearwater are now of the Niobe, and the full complement of 720 men for the cruiser has been made up. The Niobe will probably be used to patrol the Gulf of St. Lawrence and entrance.

Commander Truesdale, of the Shearwater, has been appointed to a shore command at Esquimaux.

Rear-Admiral Kingsmill left to-night for the Pacific coast to take charge of the naval defences there.

Shipping conditions from Atlantic ports are now reported almost normal again and no danger from visiting German cruisers is feared for the present at least.

### BRANDENBURG OFF WITH COAL.

Delaware Breakwater, Del., Aug. 25.—It is the belief of shipping men here that the North German Lloyd steamship Brandenburg, which was given a clearance from Philadelphia on Saturday with her bunkers filled with coal and her holds with foodstuffs, has got safely away to sea. The steamship cleared ostensibly for Norway but it is not believed that this is her destination.

### WAS NOT NANAIMO COAL.

According to Manager Stockett, of the Western Fuel company, Nanaimo, the dispatch sent out from San Francisco to the effect that the coal supplied to the German cruiser Leipzig was from the Nanaimo mines of this Western Fuel company is incorrect. The advices received by Mr. Stockett from the southern offices of the company state that no British Columbia or British coal was supplied the cruiser.

### NO WORD OF MARAMA.

Up to the time of going to press there was no word of the R. M. S. Marama. Since the practical closing of the wireless stations the port is known of a vessel's whereabouts until it put its nose around Race Rocks. In the ordinary course it is expected that the Marama will show up at the quarantine station either late this evening or early to-morrow morning.

### TIDE TABLE.

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The time used is Pacific standard, for the 120th meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

Esquimaux.—To find the depth of water on the sill of the dry dock at any tide, add 9.9 feet to the height of high water as above given. Tidal differences for Puget and Haro Straits are given in the foregoing list.

Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. etc.

### SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Admiral Watson, Seattle. Sailed: Str. Mariposa, Seattle.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Str. President, Seattle; Br. str. Primley, Antwerp; str. William Chatham, Eagle Harbor; str. G. C. Lindauer, Grey's Harbor; str. Maverick, Astoria; str. James H. Bruce, Port Ludlow. Sailed: Str. Redondo, Coos Bay; Japanese str. Shinyo Maru, Yokohama, Kobe and Nagasaki; str. San Jacinto, Aberdeen; str. Temple E. Dorr, Astoria.

Portland, Ore.—Arrived: Str. Roanoke, San Francisco; str. Breakwater and George W. Elder, Coos Bay. Sailed: Br. str. Hazel Dollar, str. Captain A. F. Lucas, Seattle.

Astoria, Ore.—Arrived: Str. Roanoke, Andy Mahony, Virginia. Breakwater, G. W. Elder and Ponus. Sailed: Str. James Tuft, str. Captain A. F. Lucas.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Lansing, Port San Luis; str. Admiral Watson, San Francisco; str. Mariposa, Tacoma; Hyades, San Francisco; str. Bee, San Francisco; Queen Maud, Newcastle; str. Governor, San Francisco. Sailed: Str. Edith, Nanaimo; str. Admiral Watson, Tacoma; str. Spokane, Southeastern Alaska.

### THE COMEDIAN'S DAMAGE.

Cable advices to Balfour, Guthrie & Co., agents for the Harrison Direct line, state that the Comedian, Captain Simmons, which was towed into Liverpool a few days ago, had twenty-one feet of her rudder-post carried away and the heel of the rudder badly bent. The vessel was picked up by tugs off Kinsale Head.

### NO G. T. P. STEAMER.

There will be no sailing by the G. T. P. this week to the north, owing to the accident to the Prince Albert. It was thought that perhaps the Prince Rupert would be put back into service again, but up to the present nothing has been heard of such intention on the part of the company.

### EXPORT COAL TO EUROPE.

The prohibitions of the federal order-in-council in regard to the export of coal to all countries save the United Kingdom, the British possessions, the United States, Japan, France and Russia has been amended by adding Norway, Sweden and Denmark to the list of excepted countries.

### STEAMERS PASS INWARDS.

The tanker Trinculo passed in through the straits last night from Port San Luis with a cargo of oil. The collier Leelanaw also passed up to Comox from San Francisco.

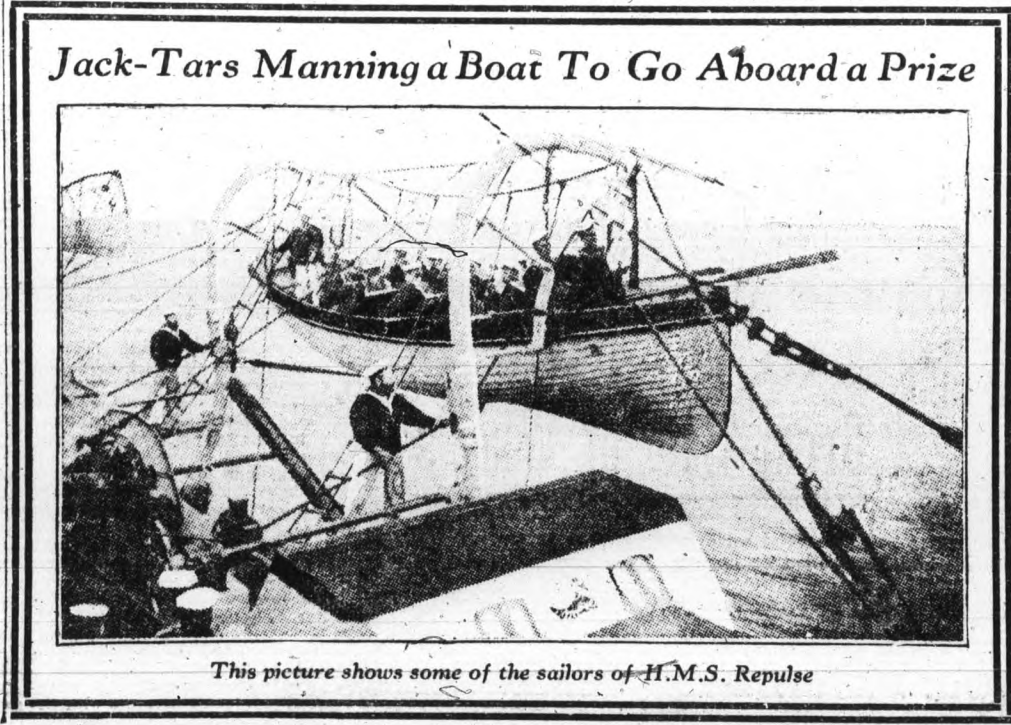
### AQUITANIA SUFFERS DAMAGE.

London, Aug. 25.—The Cunarder Aquitania, in the Admiralty service, anchored last evening at the Mersey bar with her bows damaged, according to a Lloyds' despatch from Liverpool.

### OUR POSSESSIONS.

Emigration is changing in character. Years ago it attracted the poorest to the most starvation countries, where there was little to live upon except the scenery. Now emigrants are of a different class, most of them have money, and they are particular what they take up in the way of investment. It is difficult to look upon Canada as a colony at all, for its cities are yielding more or less regular orders to our commercial travellers, their crops are profitable; even the natives among its population have found but the difference between the open-air Canadian life in summer and the imperative return to civility for livelihood in winter. Roads, railways and motor cars, as well as river navigation, have quickened the commercial life of the colony, and it lurches with business from Montreal to Vancouver, yielding a very satisfactory demand for home-made goods. Its imports to this country of cattle, grain, fruit, and other produce have set the east territory upon its feet, and there is no reason why it should not become one of the richest of our possessions, notwithstanding the erratic independence of some of its people—British Trade Review.

The costliest refit ever undertaken at Chatham dockyard, amounting to £131,785, and with one or two exceptions probably the most costly at any naval establishment in Great Britain, has been carried out on the armored cruiser Leviathan, which was placed in dockyard hands a year ago. She cost to build over £1,000,000.



This picture shows some of the sailors of H.M.S. Repulse

## B. C. COAST SERVICE

Princess Mary leaves Victoria 11 p.m. Friday, August 21, and Princess Sophia, August 28, for Alert Bay, Prince Rupert, Port Simpson, Ketchikan and Skagway.

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Princess Beatrice sails from Vancouver 11 p.m. on Wednesday nights from Vancouver for Campbell River, Alert Bay, Prince Rupert.

Princess Patricia leaves Nanaimo for Vancouver daily at 7 a.m. and 3.15 p.m. Returning, leaves Vancouver 10 a.m. and 6.30 p.m.

Princess Maquinna sails from Victoria at 11 p.m. on August 26th, September 9th and 23rd, on long trip, calling at Clayoquot, Hesquiat, Kootna, Quatsino, Holberg; also leaves Victoria 11 p.m. on August 19 and September 2 on short trips.

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S.S. CHELOHSHIN, sailing from Vancouver every Friday, at 9 p.m., calling at Powell River, Campbell River, Quathlasi Cove, Alert Bay, Bella Bella, China Hat, Swanson Bay, Butedale, Claxton, Prince Rupert and Granby Bay.

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To reassure our customers and the Trade generally in the face of so many advances and rumored advances in the cost of food products, Tea, Coffee, etc., we have decided to announce definitely that there will be no advance in price of COWAN'S PERFECTION COCOA, 5-lb., 1-lb.,  $\frac{1}{2}$ -lb.,  $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. and 10c tins, between now and Christmas. Further than this we cannot look ahead.

We believe it to be the duty of all Canadian Manufacturers to do their utmost during the present crisis to show their belief in the underlying soundness of Canada's commercial conditions. This announcement is made in face of the fact that the Cowan Company have had to pay an advanced price for some of their raw materials; but it is believed that increased demand from Atlantic to Pacific, because of falling foreign imports and embargos on teas and coffees, will offset other conditions and enable our largely increased factory to run full time with full or increased staff at full wages.

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We all appreciate Tea and Coffee, but, after all is said, these beverages are merely pleasant, slightly stimulating drinks, with little or no food value. Cowan's Perfection Cocoa, on the contrary, is a splendid food as well as drink, and a delightful drink as well as food.

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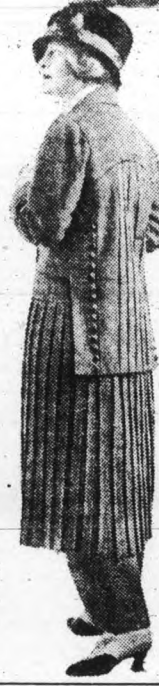
Smart, moderate use of the new ideas prevailing this Fall in the fashion centres are characteristic of the Fall Sport Coats that we have just received and placed on exhibition. You will be interested in these and we shall be pleased to show them whether you are buying or not.

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### WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 25-5 a. m.—The barometer remains comparatively high, and fine, warm weather is general over the Pacific slope, while on the Washington coast fog is again reported. The weather is fine and cool in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts.  
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.  
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fine, not much change in temperature.

Reports.  
Victoria—Barometer, 30.01; temperature, maximum yesterday, 69; minimum, 51; wind, 4 miles N. weather, clear.  
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 50; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 50; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Portland—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles N. W. weather, cloudy.  
Seattle—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 73; minimum, 54; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.  
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 52; wind, 8 miles W. weather, cloudy.

Temperature.  
Pentlton ..... 40  
Nelson ..... 42  
Prince Rupert ..... 48  
Colquhoun ..... 54  
Edmonton ..... 54  
Prince Albert ..... 50  
Winnipeg ..... 52  
Toronto ..... 52  
Ottawa ..... 62  
Montreal ..... 64  
St. John ..... 68  
Halifax ..... 68

Victoria Daily Weather  
Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Monday.

Highest ..... 59  
Lowest ..... 50  
Average ..... 54  
Bright sunshine 11 hours 45 minutes.  
General state of weather, fair.

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## Health and Beauty Helps

BY MRS. MAE MARTYN.

JUNE: The "French complexion fad" you inquire about is probably the craze for liquid powders. They are thought to be more wholesome for the skin, as well as more beautifying and less likely to show, than ordinary powder. The following preparation can be made at home from ingredients to be purchased from your druggist: Get ounces sprays from your druggist, dissolve in one half pint hot water and add two teaspoons glycerine. It is splendid in effect, looks very natural and clings as if it belonged to your skin.

LILLY: You will find shampooing with a teaspoonful of anhydrous soda in a cup of hot water is a quick and pleasing way to free the scalp of dust, dandruff and excess oil. This is a cleanser and invigorator most appreciated by one whose scalp is either dry, scaly and itchy or profusely oily. Its use restores healthy vigor to my scalp and induced the hair to come in plentifully, with a gloss, and greatly enriched color.

BESS: The best blood-cleanser I know is karene, because it acts on the liver and kidneys, and if, as you say, you are troubled with severe and constant headaches, it is an indication that your kidneys and blood need attention. To prepare, put one ounce karene (from the drug store) into one half pint alcohol (whisky should not be used), then add one half cupful sugar and hot water to make a full quart. A tablespoonful before meals is the dose. This karene tonic gently expels poisonous waste from the body and tones up the internal organs so they can do their work. You will find this tonic good for lost appetite, failing strength, and to clear up the complexion.

LORLEI: Even the woman of middle-

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.

N. C. Jamieson, of Everett, is at the Empress hotel.

F. Young, of Brierhead, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

A. S. Fleming is a guest at the Empress hotel from New York.

Charles E. Tisdall, M. P. P. for Vancouver, is at the Empress hotel.

John Harlnett, of San Francisco, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

E. E. Vetter is among the guests now at the Strathcona hotel from Seattle.

O. J. Morgard, of Seattle, registered at the Dominion hotel this morning.

Mrs. B. L. Williams, of Vernon, is at the Empress hotel for a short time.

Hon. W. R. Rides, minister of lands, returned on Sunday from the mainland.

W. G. Rowe, of Vancouver, is among the guests at the Strathcona hotel.

Samuel Weeks, of San Francisco, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

Hedley Webster, of Vancouver, is staying at the Dominion hotel for a few days.

William Boos, of San Francisco, is staying at the Dominion hotel for a few days.

Miss Dawson has arrived from Vancouver, and is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Ormond Hignman and Miss Hignman, both of Ottawa, are staying at the Empress hotel.

J. A. Kerr, of South Vancouver, is among the newly-arrived guests at the Empress hotel.

A. E. Planta, mayor of Nanaimo, was among this morning's arrivals at the Empress hotel.

W. E. Davidson is in the city to-day from Vancouver, and is stopping at the Empress hotel.

C. Partner and Mrs. Partner, of Calgary, are among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Brown are staying at the Strathcona hotel from Shawinigan lake.

F. Yates has arrived in the city from Shawinigan lake, and is stopping at the Strathcona hotel.

D. G. McPhail has arrived from New Westminster, and is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

John Weeks and Mrs. Weeks, of San Francisco, are among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

J. W. James and Mrs. James, of Sacramento, are among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

P. H. Wood, of Port Alberni, is in the city on business, and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

H. A. Anstle arrived in the city to-day from Revelstoke, and is registered at the Empress hotel.

W. L. Carriher has arrived in the city from Seattle, and is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

A. H. B. Macgowan, member in the legislature for Vancouver, is registered at the Empress hotel.

James Sutton has arrived in the city from San Francisco, and is registered at the Empress hotel.

Alex. Lucas, M. P. P. for Yale, arrived in the city yesterday, and is stopping at the Empress hotel.

R. M. Harg and Mrs. Harg, of New York city, were among yesterday's arrivals at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Johnson, of Montana, are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. William Wilson, of 722 Caledonia



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avenue, and intend remaining for the next six or seven months.

Y. A. Horl, Japanese consul at Vancouver, is among the newly-arrived guests at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Pemberton are among the visitors who recently registered at the Sol Duc Hot Springs hotel.

H. E. Green, of Vancouver, is registered at the Dominion hotel, having come over on the night boat from the mainland.

George Kidd, general manager of the B. C. Electric railway, arrived in the city this morning and is staying at the Empress hotel.

Joshua S. Hammond, a well-known hotel man from Coronado, Cal., is registered at the Dominion hotel with Mrs. Hammond, Miss Mildred Hammond and Master Joshua Hammond.

Gunner Geo. Goodman, of the 5th Regiment, has left on Saturday to join his regiment, the Coldstream Guards, leaving his wife and child residing on Finlayson street, Esquimalt.

The marriage took place on Monday, August 24, of Edith Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Lawson, of this city, and Oswald Renison, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Parker, of York-shire, England. The ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Thomas Gladstone, took place at the Reformed Episcopal church.

Miss Winona Troup, of Victoria, who has been visiting Miss Hazel Archibald, of Seattle, was together with the latter, the guest of honor at a dinner party given last Wednesday evening by Miss Mary Louise Robinson, of Seattle. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hewitt acted as chaperones. Last evening Miss Troup was one of the three special guests at a dance given by Miss Gladys Waterhouse, Minor avenue, Seattle, the other guests being Miss Helen Perkins and Miss Dorothy Aiken, of New York city.

A very charming August wedding was that which took place last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moore, 1120 McClure street, when their eldest daughter, Lulu Rhoda, and Ray Brown, of 166 Joseph street, were united in marriage. The rite was performed by Rev. Dr. C. T. Scott, pastor of the Metropolitan Methodist church, a large assembly of guests witnessing the ceremony which took place in the daintily-decorated drawing-room, the mantle of which was converted into a bower of white and green with carnations, palms and ferns. The bride, wearing a shimmering robe of duchesse satin, with square-cut train and trimmings of shadow lace and pearls, entered the room to the strains of the bridal chorus from Lohengrin, her graceful costume being completed by a long tulle veil arranged cap-fashion beneath a circlet of lilies-of-the-valley. She wore as her single ornament a brooch of pearls and amethysts, the gift of the bridegroom, and carried a spray of bridal roses and lilies-of-the-valley. She was given away by her father, and was attended by her bridesmaid, Miss Olive M. Moore, her sister, who was charmingly attired in a semi-decollete frock of peach-colored crepe de chine, and carried a shower bouquet of pink carnations. The best man was the bridegroom's brother, Gordon Brown, Miss Angus presided at the piano, and with Mr. Angus who played the violin, gave a very delightful rendering of the bridal chorus and the Mendelssohn Wedding March, to the last of which the wedded pair left the drawing-room at the close of the ceremony. In the dining-room, which was softly-lighted and fragrant with great bowls of pink carnations, sweet-peas and anemones, Mr. and Mrs. Brown stood to receive the congratulations of their friends, the big three-tier wedding-cake, which adorned the centre buffet table, being the principal decoration in the daintily-appointed supper which was served. Mrs. Moore, the mother of the bride, wore a hard-

some gown of brown crepe de chine, and Mrs. Brown, the bridegroom's mother, was attired in a smart frock of brown satin with tunic of shot brown and green silk. Among the numerous guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crawford, of Spokane, Wash., the grandparents of the bride; Dr. and Mrs. G. L. Thomas, of Philadelphia, Penn., also relatives of the bride, and the following Seattle friends: Rev. J. A. Eadson and Mrs. Eadson, Mrs. L. M. Grey (the bridegroom's sister), Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ward, Mrs. F. M. Cochran, Mrs. W. F. Coleman, and Mrs. F. W. Barker. During the evening the guests were given an opportunity to view the many beautiful wedding-gifts received by the popular young couple, who left by the midnight boat for Vancouver, en route for Powell lake, where the honeymoon is being spent. On their return to Victoria in about two weeks' time they will take up their residence at the Glencairn apartments. The bride's going-away costume was a navy blue suit with which was worn a smart black velvet hat. The bridegroom's gift to the bridesmaid was a silver-safety box, and to the best man a stick-pin.

### BIG-TIME VAUDEVILLE IS INAUGURATED HERE

First Performances at Royal Victoria Greeted With Full Houses; Splendid Bill

It has been proven time and again in this city that the theatre-going public will accord a generous measure of support to the best things in the amusement line when these are offered here.

Manager Donham, of the Royal Victoria theatre, felt certain when he first undertook negotiations looking toward the bringing here of the Orpheum attractions that this was a move that would meet with approval. Now that a new theatrical year is beginning the Royal Victoria is booked up as a part of the Orpheum circuit for the Monday and Tuesday afternoons and evenings of each week, and thus Victorians will have the privilege of seeing some of the very best of the acts that have been seen in New York but a short time before.

The bill presented this week is one that is better than any advance notices prepared for, and the houses which are greeting the performers afford to the management, though that was not needed, justification for the step that has been taken.

The headliner is a miniature musical comedy, Lesky's Beauties, which is a bright melody of beautiful girls, clever comedians, and a bewildering succession of lovely gowns. An artist looking for a model who shall be the most beautiful in the world has eight beauties brought over from Europe for his inspection by a friend and one after another girls of Great Britain, France, Belgium, Sweden, Spain, Russia, Roumania and Turkey appear, but all have to give place to the Canadian girl as the most charming of all.

Miss-Mae Busch is both accomplished and handsome, and makes a worthy representative of the Canadian girl in a bevy of beauties. William J. McCarthy, Mortimer H. Weldon, Armand Cortez and Miss Eugenie Campbell contribute to the comedy as well as to the musical portion of the act.

In the opinion of many the next number from the point of artistry is the playing of the young Turkish pianist, Ismed, who wins the unstinted applause. In the rendition of a selection from Lucia di Lammermoor with the left hand he displays musical mechanics of an unusual character, and does it without detracting in the slightest from its harmonic value.

There are all of such excellence the other acts cannot be picked out as any one better than another. Maxime and Edouard Carlos, a French team of acrobats, give a really clever performance and display the perfection of their muscular development. Rita Boland and Lou Holtz are seen in a breezy melange of song and dance. Quite clever is the turn contributed by "Chuck" Riesner and Henrietta Gores, composed of equal parts of brightness and originality. Alexander and Scott come to the vaudeville stage from the minstrel field in a southern setting, one of the trawns proving himself to be a skilful impersonator. The show ends with a mirth-provoking acrobatic turn by another old-world team, Blinn and Bert, who certainly bear out their name of "wrinkle crushers."

### MANY GOOD TURNS

Breathless Somersault Performance Opens Pantages Bill This Week; Good Numbers Follow.

The programme at Pantages theatre this week has at least three first-rate numbers. Commencing with a whirlwind somersault performance, amazing in its giddy freedom of movement, Heras and Preston, "fast and funny tumblers," perhaps put the spectators into too breathless a mood for any moderately prosaic interest to follow. Billy Chase and Charlotte Latour, however, kept up the spirit of the opening act by an almost equally amazing fluency—not of movement, but of chatter. This latter was topical only in spots, but cleverly evaded criticism of its non-fulfillment of the descriptive line underneath the names on the bill by its steady flow, in the course of which everything from the European question to the E. & N. were lightly touched upon. Banjo, puzzles and an array of quips which were so rapidly poured forth that the audience scarcely had time to more than skim comprehension from them, left the hearer in a welcome moment for meditation at the close of the act.

Quite a classical number was that provided by Helenka Schiller's stringed quartet, two violins, one viola, one cello and a piano, providing an all-together short entertainment of classical selections. The general tone of the performance testified to conservatory training



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on the part of all the players, who made a charming group as they were arranged on the stage, and elicited enthusiastic encores by their brilliant execution.

In the nautical comedy which followed this act one could only guess at the identity of the black face comedian, but whether Kitcher, Haynes or Montgomery, he was quite the cleverest of the trio, and not only regaled his audience with a fund of unconscious colloquial humor, but played and sang in very pleasing fashion.

A college act, which introduced many humorous incidents and several pretty musical numbers, concluded the bill. The costumes and settings were tasteful and the number was warmly approved.

### AUNT MARY REJUVENATED

Allen Players Give Creditable Performance of Well-known Comedy; Mrs. P. R. Allen in Title Role.

"The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary," as played by Mrs. P. R. Allen and the Allen Players, was written, Mrs. Allen put quite unexpected zest into the performance, and kept the onlookers in a state of hilarious glee. With a quite unusual gift for visualizing her parts and keeping to a consistent impersonation throughout, the leading lady of the evening pleased by her sheer energy and assurance of her performance, and carried the story to its conclusion in the most convincing manner.

While "Aunt Mary" is practically the only character in the play who is given really good lines, there is a happy average maintained for the subsidiary parts, and these the remainder of the Allen Players filled quite as well as was necessary. "Jack," the wayward but loving nephew, was impersonated by H. Irving Kennedy, who just escaped seeming the reputed role which he was supposed to be; "Granite," his chum's sister, acted by Miss Verna Felton, was, relatively, considerably better than the pseudo-soubrette role which she was called upon to play, and wore some quite charming frocks. "The Girl From Kalamazoo," acted by Mrs. Michael Hallward, had a distinct pathos which stood out prominently against the uproarious proceedings of the rest of the performance, while Miss Lillian Fischer alternated between the grim and the gleam character of Lucinda, Norman Pierce, as Burnett's butler, and Charles Connors as Joshua, were efficient, and Biron Eagan, Arthur Kenck, and Charles Bennett filled in parts as "the

boys" very well. Miss Thomas and Norman Feuser, appeared only in the first act.

Betty was milking the cow when the mad bull tore over the meadow. Betty did not stir, but continued milking. Observers who had run into safety saw to their astonishment that the bull stopped dead within a few yards of the maid and cow, turned round, and went away sadly. "Weren't you afraid?" "Why did he run away?" "He got scared," said Betty. "This cow is his mother-in-law."

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# SPORTING NEWS

## LAST WEEK OF BASEBALL HERE

### KELLY PROPERTY OF LOCAL CLUB

Northwestern League to Have Shorter Season, According to Latest Report; St. Paul Allows Option to Lapse

That this will be the last week of baseball in Victoria this season is announced to-day upon the best of authority. The outbreak of hostilities in Europe and the fact that this has been a very lean year for baseball clubs throughout the entire continent, has hastened the close of the season, and on September 13 the Northwestern league season will be brought to a close. The shortening of the season by two weeks was decided upon, it is understood, at the recent league meeting when Fielder Jones tendered his resignation. The Victoria club will play next week at Spokane, and will close the season at Vancouver. There are only two clubs now left in the fight for the pennant, Seattle and Vancouver, with the odds resting with the latter club.

Geo. Kelly, the hard-hitting first-sacker of the Bees, is now the absolute property of the local club. The option which the St. Paul American Association club held on the infielder has not been taken up, and unless Kelly is grabbed by one of the big league clubs in the draft he will remain the property of the Victoria team. Owner Kingham is now making efforts to have the Los Angeles club cancel its options on Calvo and Hoffman, and, if successful, he will have the nucleus

of a splendid club for next year. The Victoria management expects to lose Narveson and Steele by the draft route, if the latter is not sold by August 25, when the selling season closes. The Bees will need drafts for several of the Tri-State and Twilight league players who have been recommended to them by a Victorian baseball fan who recently returned from a tour of the middle west.

Although the McCredies deny that they are going to pull anyone over from the Ballard team, which they have the right to do under the terms by which the club was sold, it is understood that at least one player, Dan Murray, the catcher, is likely to be "purchased" by the Beavers and given a thorough tryout in the spring.

Earlier in the year McCredie announced that he intended to bring Pat Callahan over, but he now has three southpaws on his string, and has no need of the youngster.

September 15 is the opening day of the major league drafting season. The class AA starts one week later. It is known that Portland will put in several drafts on Northwestern league players, principally pitchers who have shown well this season.

Tuesday, August 15, is the last day that players who are purchased by clubs in organized baseball can be exempt from draft by clubs of higher classification, even if held for spring delivery.

This is 20 days before the major league drafting season starts, and is to give the necessary time for the records of these sales to be made, in order that there shall be no tangles when the drafting season starts.

## BELONGS TO BEES



GEORGE KELLY

Victoria first-sacker, who will remain with the Bees for another year unless drafted by a club of higher rating. St. Paul had an option on Kelly, but decided to let him remain with the Bees.

## EASTERN LACROSSE

### TEAMS ARE AT ODDS

Big Four Will Not Let Nationals Clash With Rosedale Twelve

Toronto, Aug. 25.—President Percy Quinn, president of the D. L. A., when interviewed regarding the formal challenge sent to President Caron of the Nationals by the Rosedale N. L. U. team, stated: "We see no reason why we should play Rosedale. They appear to need the game, while we do not, and I don't see why we should benefit them. The offer of 20 per cent. of the gate receipts to the hospital ship fund appeals to me as a move for public sympathy, and is not the main issue. Personally I would waive my objection to the staging of such a game, but the total gate receipts given to the hospital ship fund. The rumors that Nationals will play despite anything the D. L. A. may say is unfounded, as I have President Caron's personal assurance that his club will abide by the ruling of the league."

The matter will be discussed at a meeting of the directors to be held in Montreal within the next two weeks; also the advisability of sending Nationals to the coast. The general opinion is, however, that Nationals will not go west this year, and there is little or no chance of a game between the N. L. U. and D. L. A. winners.

Whether the Rosedale team could defeat the Nationals will hardly be decided this year, but the ordinary lacrosse fan had the selection of home material would be rather have Lalonde, Pitre, Lamereaux and Gauthier, of the Nationals, or would he select Fitzgerald, Merton, Kalls and Barnett? Which would be the best quartette?

Rosedale have a great defence line of the best that was ever gathered together. When they go west after the Minto cup they will get their first real test, and should give a good account of themselves.

Captain Cattarlinch, "Happy" L. Hareaux, the goalkicker, "Newsy" Lalonde, Dr. Lachapelle, Pitre, Lamereaux and Gauthier have been handling the stick for over ten years, and seem as good as ever.

Duckett, the big defence man, has been with the Nationals for the past five years, while Deegan and Degray played with Cornwall for a few years before going to the Frenchmen.

The Nationals are a team of veterans, the youngest player being Boullaine, who, while he is a clever home player, cannot force any of the "old-timers" off the attack.

The National home, which is making a remarkable record in the scoring line, play the prettiest style of combination. Every one of the quartette can handle the ball in a fast and accurate style, and can hit the nets from any position.

Tecumseh and Toronto will play in Chicago in September. The Chicago fans are very anxious to see two of the professional teams in action. The date is not yet set, but it likely to be September 19.

Cliff Spring and Len Turnbull, formerly of the New Westminster lacrosse team, will return to the coast immediately after the close of the eastern season. Dave Gibbins, former goal-keeper of the Vancouver club, will also come west.

## SEATTLE WON GAME

### BY TIMELY HITTING

Victoria Had Fifteen Runners Stranded on the Sacks; Score 7 to 5

Failure to hit in the pinches cost the Bees the opening game with Seattle at the ball park yesterday afternoon, the invaders hauling down the contest 7 to 5 after Victoria had handed Bobby Steele a three-run lead in the first inning. The pitching was poor all the way through, Steele walking the left-handed hitters on the Seattle club for runs that counted, while Bonner was within an inch of the first round after Victoria had bunched six hits off him for five runs. Fullerton was lucky to get by without a run being chalked up against him, a couple of runners getting on the sacks in every inning with the exception of the second. Victoria outlived the Sound City club, the locals getting twelve hits, while the visitors connected safely seven times. In the pinches, however, Seattle met the ball hard.

Poor support handed the Giants a couple of runs in the first, but after that break, Victoria's ball-handling could not have been improved upon. Fullerton was the boss, however, with runners on the sacks and Victoria had fifteen runners stranded, though a hit would have broken up the contest on half a dozen occasions. It was the eighth straight win for the Sound City team, and judging from the breaks of the game that went to Seattle, Tealey Raymond's club has a lot to be thankful for. The visitors appear strengthened at second base, where Brashear is performing, and also in right field, where Eddie Fries is stationed. The club is getting air-tight pitching, and that is what counts.

Scanton's fine defensive work and Hoffman's hitting featured the contest, the former cutting off several sure hits, while Dutch went through the contest with a perfect average. Wilhoit and Calvo had a couple of hits apiece, while James led Seattle with the war club. Umpire Frary made his appearance before the home crowd in finished style, indicating that it is a wonder that Fielder Jones allowed him to remain idle for several months when he had a couple of less satisfactory men handling the indicator.

Seattle	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Killaly, c. f.	5	2	0	8	0	1		
Raymond, 1. b.	4	2	1	0	0	0		
Swain, 1. c.	4	2	1	0	0	0		
Huhn, 1. b.	5	1	1	10	0	0		
Brashear, b.	3	2	1	0	0	0		
James, 3. b.	2	0	1	1	0	0		
Cadman, c.	3	0	0	5	0	0		
Fries, r. f.	2	0	0	0	0	0		
Bonner, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0		
Fullerton, p.	3	0	1	1	3	0		
Totals	32	7	27	12	2	2		

Victoria	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Nye, 2. b.	4	0	1	4	0	1		
Calvo, c. f.	4	1	2	3	1	0		
Wilhoit, 1. f.	5	1	2	0	0	0		
Kelly, 2. b.	2	0	0	2	0	0		
Lamb, 3. b.	5	1	1	1	0	0		
Scanton, s. s.	5	0	1	0	6	1		
Kutty, r. f.	2	0	0	0	0	0		
Steele, p.	4	0	1	0	1	0		
McHenry, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0		
Totals	35	5	12	27	3	4		

Score by innings: Seattle 0 0 0 2 0 3 4-7; Victoria 5 0 0 0 0 0 0-5. Summary: Sacrifice hits—Raymond, Hoffman, Scanton, Fries, Fullerton. Two-base hits—Brashear, Home. Run—Duckett. Stolen base—Lamb. Home run—Fries. Error—Fullerton. Off Steele, 5. Pitchers' summary—7 runs, 7 hits off Steele in 3 1/3 innings; 5 runs, 5 hits off Fullerton in 2 1/3 innings. Time of game—2:15. Umpire—Frary. Charge—defeat to Steele; credit win to Fullerton.

## BASEBALL

### NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.  
Seattle 7, Victoria 5.  
Vancouver 8, Ballard 1.

Standing	Won	Lost	Pct.
Seattle	22	53	.60
Vancouver	20	58	.56
Spokane	17	58	.52
Victoria	14	59	.49
Ballard	12	51	.39

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.  
At Chicago—Boston 5, Chicago 3.  
At Pittsburgh—Philadelphia 3, Pittsburgh 2.  
At Cincinnati—Brooklyn 6, Cincinnati 4.  
At St. Louis—New York 3, St. Louis 2.

Standing	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	59	48	.551
Boston	61	53	.536
St. Louis	58	57	.509
Chicago	59	53	.525
Philadelphia	56	59	.488
Pittsburgh	51	68	.428
Cincinnati	52	60	.464
Brooklyn	49	65	.430

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.  
At New York—Chicago 2, New York 1.  
At Washington—First game: Detroit 3, Washington 1. Second game: Detroit 11, Washington 1.  
At Boston—Cleveland 3, Boston 7.  
At Philadelphia—First game: St. Louis 1, Philadelphia 7. Second game: St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 6 (called 7th).

Standing	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	55	47	.576
Boston	54	47	.536
Washington	60	53	.531
Detroit	58	57	.509
Chicago	56	59	.488
St. Louis	54	59	.478
New York	51	62	.447
Cleveland	47	63	.391

### FEDERAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.  
At Indianapolis—First game: Brooklyn 6, Indianapolis 7 (18 innings). Second game: Brooklyn 10, Indianapolis 6.

Standing	Won	Lost	Pct.
Indianapolis	52	42	.556
Chicago	52	41	.561
Baltimore	58	52	.527
Buffalo	56	53	.514
Brooklyn	54	54	.500
Kansas City	53	62	.461
St. Louis	52	62	.456
Pittsburgh	47	63	.428

### PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Standing.  
Portland 78, 66, .542.  
Venice 77, 67, .536.  
Los Angeles 76, 68, .524.  
San Francisco 78, 68, .534.  
San Diego 72, 68, .514.  
Oakland 64, 67, .488.

## VICTORIA WON MATCH

### BY CLOSEST MARGIN

Seattle Unfortunate in First Round; Incogniti Fail to Meet Expectations

TO-DAY'S GAMES.  
Hospital Ground—Cowanhan vs. Seattle.  
Beacon Hill Ground—Vancouver vs. Nanaimo.  
Mt. Tolmie Ground—University Incogniti vs. Victoria.  
YESTERDAY'S CENTURY.  
H. R. Jepson for Nanaimo against Cowanhan.

As a result of the first day's play in the cricket tournament yesterday, victories were registered by Victoria, Nanaimo and Vancouver, while Seattle, Cowanhan and the University Incogniti tasted the bitterness of defeat.

VICTORIA V. SEATTLE.  
By far the closest game of the day was at the Jubilee Hospital ground, where, in a hair-raising finish, the locals defeated the hardy men from Seattle by the narrowest margin known in cricket—one run. The hero of the occasion was H. A. Goward, the popular captain of the Victoria eleven, who followed up an excellent bowling analysis by going out after the bowling, pulled what looked like a hopeless game out of the fire and scored the winning run.

Seattle must be congratulated on bringing a fine team to Victoria. True, their complement was not complete and the visitors had to bring in two or three substitutes, but the veteran Lawrence and his men put up a very fine fight, and after they lost in the end almost making certain of victory was a tremendous misfortune, and but pays tribute to the wonderful uncertainty of cricket as a game.

Collison played a sparkling innings for Victoria and scored most of his runs by the boundary route. The left-hander used the long handle to everything, and played a fine free innings. But it was left to Goward to take all the chances. Realizing that the only chance of victory lay in a slogging campaign, the local captain wasted no time, but hit at everything, with the result that the last wicket added the seventy odd runs required to win.

Seattle—First Innings	O.	M.	R.	W.
W. G. Pattullo, c. Goward	15	1	4	2
C. W. Lawrence, c. Coates, b. Goward	10	0	0	0
H. C. Nicholson, c. Booth, b. Goward	9	0	0	0
W. W. Dow, b. Goward	5	0	23	0
C. Fenwick, c. and b. L. York	2	0	0	0
A. V. Pemberton, b. L. York	6	0	0	0
A. Hutter, b. L. York	6	0	0	0
A. Moore, run out	1	0	0	0
G. Nichols, c. Coates, b. L. York	4	0	0	0
W. Lamb, not out	1	0	0	0
P. C. Payne, b. Goward	1	0	0	0
Extras	1	0	0	0
Total	61	1	27	12

Victoria—First Innings	O.	M.	R.	W.
Goward	16	1	4	2
York	10	0	0	0
Carstairs	5	0	23	0
Collison	6	13	3	0
Mitchell	3	0	29	0
Carstairs bowled one wide				
Seattle—Second Innings				
Pattullo, b. Carstairs	12	0	0	0
Nicholson, b. Goward	9	0	0	0
Dow, b. Lawrence	6	0	0	0
Nicholson, not out	2	0	0	0
Pemberton, b. Goward	5	0	0	0
Butters, not out	5	0	0	0
Lamb, c. Collison, b. Lewin	1	0	0	0
Extras	1	0	0	0
Total (six wickets)	43			

Victoria—Second Innings	O.	M.	R.	W.
Lawrence	13	0	7	2
Fenwick	13	2	3	1
Nicholson	5	0	22	0
Nicholson	2	1	5	0
Fenwick bowled one wide				
Cowanhan v. NANAIMO.				

It is not often given to batsmen to reach the coveted century and then be dismissed without a single additional run, but this occurred yesterday when Nanaimo from the Cowanhan team by 7 runs. Jepson gained double figures, being bowled at 10. The Cowanhan team was almost unrecognizable as that which has visited Victoria on recent Saturdays, several of the principal batsmen being away at camp with the Victoria team. H. R. Jepson, however, just fell short of his century by all the other men of the side first being out with 12. V. Bagnall he shared the bowling most of the Nanaimo innings, and in the scorching sun it was no light task. None of the other batsmen for Cowanhan made much showing. For Nanaimo E. P. Ward contributed a useful total of 42 before Bagnall bowled him. Leighton hit six into the plantation before being bowled.

Standing	Won	Lost	Pct.
W. A. Macadam, c. Leighton	8	0	1.000
D. W. Taylor, c. Hindmarsh, b. West	8	0	1.000
L. A. S. Cole, b. Leighton	10	0	1.000
H. R. Orr, not out	33	0	1.000
G. H. Bales, c. Curry, b. Leighton	11	0	1.000
R. S. V. Bagnall, c. and b. sub.	15	0	1.000
W. E. Estridge, b. Leighton	11	0	1.000
R. Hobday, c. Hindmarsh, b. Westwood	4	0	1.000
G. Barkley, b. W. Leighton	4	0	1.000
J. Spain, c. Lawrence, b. Westwood	1	0	1.000
Extras	1	0	1.000
Total	192		

Victoria—Second Innings	O.	M.	R.	W.
Bullen, c. Sparks, b. Tracey	7	0	0	0
H. Hudson, b. Bennett	36	0	0	0
Nelson, c. Kilpatrick, b. Finlayson	10	0	0	0
Extras	1	0	0	0
Total (four wickets)	106			

University Incogniti—First Innings	O.	M.	R.	W.
P. A. Sparks, b. W. B. Bart	2	0	0	0
V. B. Bennett, c. A. J. b. Crane	49	0	0	0
A. H. Ackroyd, b. Bart	2	0	0	0
R. B. Paten, c. Nelson, b. Crane	0	0	0	0
H. Hudson, b. Crane	0	0	0	0
R. H. Finlayson, c. Bart, b. Crane	0	0	0	0
J. Tattow, c. Bullen, b. Bart	0	0	0	0
Bennett, b. Bart	0	0	0	0
T. Wenman, b. Crane	0	0	0	0
C. Kilpatrick, not out	0	0	0	0
Extras	4			
Total	72			

University Incogniti—Second Innings	O.	M.	R.	W.
Ackroyd, not out	22			
Kilpatrick, b. Bart	0			
Bennett, b. Bart	0			
Sparks, c. Harvey, b. Bart	54			
Paten, b. Crane	50			
Harcourt, not out	0			
Extras	0			
Total (for four wickets)	106			

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Victoria District—Cottage, 5 rooms, concrete basement, plumbing arrangements up-to-date, city water, electric light, situate on corner lot, 60 x 110, good street, very convenient to car line. Very cheap for \$2900. Reasonable terms.

Portage Avenue—Splendid building lot, 50 x 120, overlooking Gorge. Price \$950. Terms, \$200 cash.

Ker Subdivision—A very choice building lot, 51 x 123, for \$800. Easy terms.

South Saanich—Two Acres Meadow Land; would make an ideal chicken ranch; close to electric car and station; \$1200. Easy terms.

## MONEY TO LOAN.

FIRE INSURANCE WRITTEN.

A man who was extravagantly fond of his dogs one day saw his youngest son kick a favorite pup. "You un-mannerly young cub!" roared the irate parent. "How dare you kick my dog!" "I'll teach you how to behave yourself better!" When the offended father was soundly thrashed the father wiped the perspiration from his forehead. "Let this be a lesson to you," he said, "how to treat my dogs! And, now that I think of it, you've been disrespectful to your mother of late!"

Solitude makes either talented men or idiots.—Victor Hugo

## OUR LETTER BOX

Letters for publication in Daily Times must be received at the Times Office not later than the day before the day of publication. When received later, they will be held over until the following day.

## FREEDOM UNDER THE FLAG.

To the Editor: In your issue of yesterday you state: "The Vancouver German Press is inclined to view the participation of the Japanese in the present war with misgiving." Can you imagine the mailed fist party allowing a British paper to be published anywhere in the German empire, and further to comment upon the attitude of an ally of the Germans? If the German Press of Vancouver has not sufficient decency to keep quiet during the present deplorable conflict, then the civil authorities ought to step in.

Aug. 25, 1914.

## LORD AYLMER'S SUGGESTION.

To the Editor:—I notice in the week-end issue a suggestion by Lord Aylmer, to the effect that he thought it would be a good scheme to send German prisoners to Canada to take up land and become good citizens. It is to be sincerely hoped that his thought does not count for much in Canada. I am wondering what the mothers and wives of those who have volunteered to assist the motherland thought when they read that report. The idea of sending sons and husbands to defend the Empire, to be replaced by prisoners from enemy. We have a splendid example of the good citizens that some 75 per cent. of Germans and Austrians make. They live a free life in our colonies, which, compared to their homes, is heaven. Then at the first opportunity they return to take up arms against us. To use his own words, give them tracts of land awaiting development. Maybe he could find many awaiting the opportunity to develop some land right in the Kootenay district any time he cares to look around, with British blood in their veins at that. I would like to suggest that the "normal" sons of the Empire, who are prisoners on the land could be better used as loans to the aforementioned Britishers to assist in opening the large tract he talks of. Further, I would suggest confiscation of all properties held by those that have taken part against us, to be disposed of by the various provinces, the proceeds to be used for carrying on the development work that will be set back till God only knows when if this war continues. In closing, I hope the people through the press and parliament, will have a say, as against any one-man suggestion.

F. WEBB.

## THE FIRST TO COMBAT EFFORT.

To the Editor: May I be allowed to suggest to the promoters of the movement who wish to cut down the wages of the Chinamen a more philanthropic method and one which in my opinion would meet the approval of even the "Chinamen"? The article states that the Chinese are paid nearly equal and sometimes more than an Anglo-Saxon. During this winter there is no question times will be hard with many. If the housewives would get rid of the Chinese and employ Anglo-Saxons, giving them the same amount of wages, would not this tend to not only help the shopkeepers and other trades but the wives and children and the single men and women of the white race? All the money paid them would find its way into the right channel to benefit the city, whereas the slight reduction made on the Chinese would be of little importance, because the balance paid to the Chinese would go to his own country or his own people. Much as I am against the employment of the Chinese, every man, white or yellow, is worthy of his hire, and it will take a long time to convince me that the cutting down of wages is likely to benefit the community. It may tend to allow some of the ladies a few more luxuries, but would it not be better to help their own race with the necessities of life. The great need for help will be found amongst those who are classed domestics, garden workers, ground attendants and the like.

Canada is giving of its best to the Mother Country during this time of trouble. Let us hope that those who can afford to employ a Chinaman will follow the example by helping their white brothers and sisters of Victoria and giving them a chance to exist.

JOHN DAY.

880 Madison Street, Aug. 24.

## FIRST THINGS

The first settlement on the site of New Orleans was started 196 years ago to-day, August 25, 1718, by French emigrants, under the direction of Jean Baptiste le Moyne Bienville, governor of Mississippi. M. Bienville was a native of Montreal, and was one of eleven brothers, nearly all of whom played a prominent part in the early history of America. The first important addition to the population of the town came in 1721, with the arrival of eighty girls from a house of correction in Paris. Most of the girls married and became respectable wives and mothers, and founded some of the "best families" of New Orleans. In 1723 a company of Germans settled near New Orleans, and in the following year the village was made the capital of the Gulf territory of the French. In 1727 a nunnery was established, and in 1728 another cargo of girls reached the town. They were known as "Filles a la Casquette" or casket girls, because each was provided with a small casket of apparel. In 1756 a number of Acadians reached New Orleans, and helped to give New Orleans the typically French characteristics it has retained to the present day.

## COUNCIL FORWARDS REQUEST TO OTTAWA

### Aldermen Would Have Two-thirds of Volunteers' Pay Given to Dependents

After a brief discussion the city council last evening decided to communicate with the militia department with regard to the payment of volunteers going to the front. The motion, which stood in the name of Alderman Sargent, asked the minister of militia to make arrangements to pay direct to the wives two-thirds of the pay of volunteers on active service, such payment to be subject, of course, to the approval of the men themselves.

In moving it, Alderman Sargent said the motion had been somewhat different as originally drafted. The original had sought to include also the single men having dependents. In his view the resolution had three aspects. It was impossible to escape from the uncertainty of the length of the war and the consequent financial situation. It was impossible to know what assistance would be required this winter in the way of relief, so he looked at the question from the public standpoint. Next came the aspect of the family. The soldier at the front would find a bond in a regular payment to the family. Thirdly, it was best for the men to have the money paid where it would not be a temptation to men at the front. He hoped also the minister of militia would have the payments arranged to be made monthly to the families.

Alderman Todd seconded, and urged the importance of regular payments to members of the families.

Alderman Porter opposed. He believed the men would need every cent possible at the front, for soldiers often went hungry when the rations failed to turn up through delays of the commissariat.

The alderman was reminded that the soldier himself was to have the right to decide to whom his pay would go. He withdrew his objection.

The resolution was then agreed to unanimously.

It came on to rain suddenly, and two friends who had no umbrella went into a second-hand furniture shop. "What do you want for that?" asked one of them, pointing to an outrage in oils—worth about three shillings and sixpence. The furniture dealer looked at them shrewdly. "There's been many after that," he said. "I couldn't let it go under two pounds."

"Is it genuine?" said one friend in a stage-whisper to the other. "Hush!" came the reply. "They contemplated a picture for some time and then, as the rain had ceased, departed. The next day the picture was in the window labelled "£10."

## SCRAP BOOK

Independence Day in War-Stricken Belgium.  
This is Independence day in Belgium, the small but brave and proud little nation which was the scene of the battle of Waterloo, and which has again become a theatre of war. A century ago the congress of the powers at Vienna made Belgium a part of the United Kingdom of Netherlands, under the house of Orange, but this unnatural alliance of warring peoples, differing in language, religion and material interests, could not long continue. On August 25, 1830, the revolution against Holland was commenced in Belgium, and was carried to a successful issue, with the result that Belgium became a separate and independent nation with Leopold, Prince of Saxe-Coburg, as king. Ever since then the twenty-fifth of August has been celebrated as Independence day in Belgium.

The Belgian population, the densest in Europe, is composed of two distinct races—the Walloons, of French extraction, and the Flemish, of German descent. Despite this difference in ancestry, the Belgians have been a unit in rallying to the defence of their nationality and independence.

The revolution against the Dutch in 1830 had many causes, chief of which was the attempt of the Dutch government to suppress the French language in courts and schools, and to make Dutch the universal tongue. The electoral system, which gave the preponderance to the northern or Dutch provinces, though the latter were inferior in population, was another source of dissatisfaction. The interests of the provinces were diametrically opposed, Belgium being an agricultural and manufacturing country, while Holland was commercial. The one wished to tax imports and exports, the other property and industries. In the parliament three languages were spoken, French, Dutch and German, and the members could not understand each other. The revolution was the inevitable result of these differences.

Following the uprising of the people of Brussels on August 25, 1830, the Dutch troops were at first successful, but the revolution soon became general, and the Dutchmen were driven out of the country.

Legge, which recently felt the first shock of the German advance, and the surrounding country, constitutes the ancient territory of the Belgae, and during the revolution the volunteers from Liege, Mons and Tournay were saluted by the Flemings as Belgians. The name of Belgium, which properly distinguished only a section of the southern provinces, became henceforth recognized as the patriotic designation of the whole new nation.

The war between the Dutch and Belgians was topped by a convention of the powers in London, which drew up a treaty to regulate the separation of the provinces. In the meantime the national congress of Belgium offered the crown to the Duke of Nemours,

second son of Louis Philippe, who had but recently ascended the throne of France. He declined the crown, and it was then conferred, at the request of Britain, upon the German prince, who became Leopold I. Leopold II, succeeded his father in 1865, and was in turn succeeded, about five years ago, by his nephew, King Albert I. During its short history Belgium has played a great role, for a country of its size, and in the Congo Free State possesses a vast and important part of Africa. The ancient Belgians were conquered by Julius Caesar in 51, B. C., and after the downfall of Rome the country, then called Flanders, was successively ruled by France, Burgundy, Austria and Spain, becoming a part of the empire of Germany in 1713.

## TO-DAY IN CANADIAN HISTORY

James Bay, the southeastern arm of Hudson Bay, commemorates the name of an explorer who is now all but forgotten. Captain Thomas James performed no spectacular feats such as would immortalize his name in history, although Coleridge found in his book dealing with "A Strange and Dangerous Voyage" the inspiration for his poem, "The Ancient Mariner." It was on this date, August 25th, in the year 1632, that Capt. James and the survivors of his crew boarded their tiny vessel, the Henrietta Maria, and sailed for home, after a terrible winter spent on an island in the bay which still bears the name of its pioneer navigator. It was the lure of the Northwest passage, the dream of mariners for centuries, which attracted Henry Hudson to the great northern bay where he lost his life and gained immortality, and it was the same vain hope which led the merchants of Bristol to fit out a ship and place it in the command of Captain James, an experienced British skipper. The Henrietta Maria was a craft of seventy tons, and it experienced much rough weather before passing through the strait into Hudson's Bay. James decided to sail to the southwest, in the hope of finding the passage to the western sea, and in the course of time he entered James Bay. He skirted its western shores, where white men had never set foot before, and when the icy blasts of winter came down from the north he and his men took refuge on Charlton Island. There they built a rude shelter, and spent 106 long, dark months, with scarcely enough food to sustain life, and tormented by many strange ills. Nearly half of the men died, and at one time or another nearly all were sick, and it was not until August that the survivors gained enough energy to provide the Henrietta Maria with sufficient food and water for the homeward voyage. At last, on the 25th of August, 1631, the sail was hoisted, and the little vessel eventually reached Bristol in safety.

God has made every man fit for his work.—Ruskin.

One day, as two children were playing, their mother gave them an orange between them. She said to the little boy, "Now, be sure you give your share for the lion's share." On returning their mother was surprised to see the little girl crying. She asked what the trouble was, and she heard that the boy had eaten all the orange. "Well," said the boy, turning to his mother, "you know lions don't eat oranges."

The only way to have a friend is to be one.—Emerson.

## To Contractors

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 3 p.m., Tuesday, Sept. 8, 1914, for the following work on the proposed new Jail Building for the City of Victoria, in accordance with the plans, specifications and conditions prepared for that purpose by Mr. J. C. M. Keith, Architect. The parties tendering must send in with their tenders a certified cheque of five per cent. of the amount of their bid. Tender forms will be furnished those bidding for the work, and these only must be used.

Tenders will be as follows: First, for all building construction. Second, for all sanitary equipment. Third, for all prison iron work. Fourth, for all electric equipment. Fifth, for all mechanical and heating equipment.

Tenders must be enclosed in envelopes and marked outside, "Tender for Jail." The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,  
City Purchasing Agent.

Victoria, B. C., August 22, 1914.

## NOTICE

"Navigable Waters" Protection Act.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ARTHUR LINEHAM, of Victoria, British Columbia, is applying to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council for approval of the area plans, site and description of works proposed to be constructed at Royal Bay, Royal Roads, Esquimalt District, British Columbia, being the lands situate, lying and being in the District of Esquimalt, and known as Section Fifty-Five (55), Esquimalt District, British Columbia, and has deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works and a description thereof with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate thereof with the Registrar General of Titles in the Land Registry Office in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that the matter of the said application will be proceeded with at the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this notice in the "Canada Gazette."

Dated this 24th day of July, 1914.  
ARTHUR LINEHAM,  
Petitioner.

## IN THE ESTATE OF MARY TURNBULL

BULL

All persons having claims against the above named deceased are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before September 1, 1914, after which date the said claims will proceed to distribute the assets of deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.

Dated this 27th day of July, 1914.  
JAMES TURNBULL,  
P. O. Box 219,  
F. BIRKETT,  
Box 1254, Executors.

## NOTICE

In the Estate of John Marks, Deceased.

All creditors and others having claims against the estate of the late John Marks, deceased, who died on the 9th day of June, 1914, at Victoria, B. C., are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of September, 1914, and all persons or parties indebted to the said estate are required to make payment to the undersigned on or before the said date.

Notice is further given that after the said date the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 12th day of August, 1914.

TAIT, BRANDON & HALL,  
Solicitors for the Executors, Alexander Hendry and James Murie, Sixth Floor, B. C. Permanent Loan Building, Douglas Street, Victoria, B. C.

## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Winding Up Act and

In the Matter of the Canadian Puget Sound Lumber Company, Limited.

The Creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 10th day of October, 1914, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts and claims and the names and addresses of their solicitors, if any, to Rowland F. Taylor, of Victoria, Official Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the Chambers of the Supreme Court of British Columbia at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such time as shall be specified in such notice.

Monday, the 12th day of October, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at the said Chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudication upon the debts and claims.

Dated this 7th day of August, 1914.

B. H. FRYWILLT DRAKE,  
Registrar.

## NOTICE

The Victoria Incorporated Co-operative Fruit Growers Exchange, Ltd.

All debenture holders of the above Company are required to present or send their debentures for payment at the office of Yates & Jay, Central Building, Victoria, on or before the first day of September, 1914.

YATES & JAY,  
Solicitors.

## NOTICE

In Re the Estate of Isabella Stewart, Late of Esquimalt District, British Columbia, Deceased.

All persons having claims against above estate are requested to send particulars, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of September, 1914, after which date the estate will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the Executors had then notice.

Dated 29th July, 1914.

E. HARRISON,  
Lee Building, Victoria, B. C.,  
Solicitor for the Executors, Elizabeth McV. Norris and Jasper Fowler.

# War Food

Already the great European war is making itself felt right here at home. With production at a standstill abroad and

## Europe Calling for Food

prices of edibles here in America are going up by leaps and bounds.

The war has just begun  
What will the end be?

There's one food that will not advance in price—a food Europe is now calling for—

# Grape-Nuts

Made from wheat and barley, Grape-Nuts has for 20 years proved itself a dependable food for body and brain. It contains all the rich nutriment of the grain, including the invaluable mineral phosphates lacking in white bread, but necessary for sturdy health—

## A food for War and Peace

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Price Same As Always---everywhere

With Grape-Nuts, you can laugh at high prices and live well—

## "There's a Reason"

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## OPERATIONS ON BULL SIDE OF WHEAT FIRM

New High Level in Chicago Pit Trade; Volume Large

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, Aug. 25.—Remarkable bull operations in wheat with prices advanced four from low points. Action of prices much greater than volume of trade in proportion. Advance of six cents at Minneapolis, where there is absolutely no hedging of winter or spring wheat and very heavy flour shipments to seaboard exporters of France, and larger volume of outside trade based on war feeling than at any time for the year were bull factors. Heavy caused moderate early dip in corn but southwest markets turned strong quickly and this trade advanced prices. Big local leaders all on buying side and some of the cash houses also committed to side of market.

Big volume of speculative trade in oats, prices up from 47 1/2 to 48 1/2 for December, new high quotations for the season. At times offerings in this market were so heavy as to check on the advance.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
Sept.	99 1/2	100 1/2	99 1/2	100 1/2
Oct.	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	101 1/2
Nov.	101 1/2	102 1/2	101 1/2	102 1/2
Dec.	102 1/2	103 1/2	102 1/2	103 1/2
Jan.	103 1/2	104 1/2	103 1/2	104 1/2
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May	107 1/2	108 1/2	107 1/2	108 1/2
June	108 1/2	109 1/2	108 1/2	109 1/2
July	109 1/2	110 1/2	109 1/2	110 1/2
Aug.	110 1/2	111 1/2	110 1/2	111 1/2

## WHEAT UNSETTLED AND PRICE RANGES WIDER

Winnipeg, Aug. 25.—Wheat prices were decidedly unsettled and the range in fluctuations unusually wide. Sentiment generally is that wheat may be worth more money later. The heavy movement, however, tends to check the bullishness. The weather continues unfavorably, rain having been general all over the west. Winnipeg wheat opened unchanged to 2 1/2c higher and advanced 2 1/2c to 3 1/2c from Monday's close. At noon prices were: October, 102 1/2; December, 104 1/2; and May, 112 1/2. Trading in futures was light, and on the close there were further sharp advances. Closing prices were 4 1/2c to 4 3/4c higher. Cash wheat, offerings are few and export at a standstill. Oats and barley are also in good demand, while there is nothing doing in flax. Cash grain closed: Wheat, 4 1/2c to 4 3/4c higher; barley, 3 1/2c to 3 3/4c higher; flax, unchanged. Monday's inspections numbered 242 cars, among which number there were 185 cars new wheat and 3 cars new barley.

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Wheat east of Rockies.	1,000,000
West of Rockies.	3,000,000
Canada.	1,750,000
U. S. and Canada.	2,486,000
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## Stranded Americans Seeking Relief in London After the Declaration of War



AMERICANS OUTSIDE THE AMERICAN EXPRESS OFFICE, LONDON, TO CASH THEIR CREDIT NOTES

## NIAGARA FALLS TAKES AUSTRIAN PRISONERS

Reservists on Way to New York Are Arrested When on Canadian Ground.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 25.—A company of militia arrived at Bridgeburg, across the Niagara river from here, to-day to guard 25 Austrians and Hungarians who had been taken from eastbound trains during the last few days. The foreigners were bound for New York, where they intended to take passage to their native countries. The number of prisoners increased so rapidly that the village authorities were doubtful of their ability to hold them, and asked for the militia.

Niagara Falls, Ont., has nineteen prisoners of war, including German, Austrian and Hungarian reservists.

Port Huron, Mich., Aug. 25.—Ten Austrian reservists from Chicago and Milwaukee, who were en route to New York, have been taken from trains on the Grand Trunk railway at Sarnia, Ont., across the St. Clair river from Port Huron, and are being held as prisoners of war. It was learned here to-day. On purchasing their tickets they failed to realize they placed themselves in the hands of the enemy on entering Canadian soil. It is probable they will be taken to Toronto and held until the close of the war.

## CHRONICLE CONSIDERS THAT REPORTS ARE BAD

Will Stick to Germany Until Her Downfall Has Been Made Complete.

London, Aug. 25.—Commenting on the loss of the Belgian stronghold the Chronicle says: "The news to-day is decidedly bad," adding that if the allies losses have been heavy "we may yet see before long the Germans march in earnest on Paris. Namur is a fortress of great strength which its defenders could possibly hold several months. We do not imagine that it was taken by a rush. More probably a breach made elsewhere in the line of the allies imposed on them the alternative of leaving a large force to be invested in Namur or withdraw from it altogether.

"The blunt fact remains that in a really first-class battle the French troops occupying a secluded position of singular strength were driven out by the Germans after not more than two days fighting. This speaks volumes for the power of the German attack.

## BERLIN REPORT DOES NOT FAVOR RUSSIANS

Berlin, Aug. 25.—A war correspondent of the war staff of the Lokai Anzeiger has sent a telegram to his paper from the eastern theatre of war. His message is dated August 24, and says: "While from the west comes news of a victorious advance, something similar has occurred here. The Russians were defeated at Stallupoenen (a town of East Prussia, sixteen miles to the east of Gumbinnen) on August 21 and 22. The returning wounded of a cavalry division say the Russians were greatly superior numerically. They had at least two divisions of cavalry, and their infantry was stronger. Cavalry charges were frequent. The Russian infantry shot badly. They sighted their rifles for 1,300 metres when they were at close range which occurred frequently."

## KITCHENER SPEAKS IN THE HOUSE OF LORDS

War May Last Long Time and Entail Great National Sacrifices

London, Aug. 25.—Earl Kitchener made his first speech to-day as minister of war in the House of Lords. He told his hearers that this war undoubtedly would strain the forces of the empire and entail big sacrifices. He laid emphasis on the fact that his position in the cabinet involved adherence to neither party. He said: "The terms on which I am serving are the same as those under which some of the finest portions of our manhood, now so willingly stepping forward to join the colors, are engaging. That is to say, my term of office is for the duration of the war, or for three years if the war should last longer than that. It has been asked why this period has been limited. It is because if this disastrous war be prolonged, and no one can foretell for a certainty its duration, that after three years of war, others will take our places and see this matter through.

"There will, be serious conflicts which undoubtedly will strain the forces of our empire, and undoubtedly considerable sacrifices to our people will be entailed. These will be willingly borne for our honor and for the preservation of our position in the world, and they will be shared by our dominions, who are now sending contingents and giving assistance of every kind to the mother country.

"Our expeditionary force has taken the field on the French northwest frontier and advanced in the neighborhood of Mons (in Belgium). Our troops already have been for thirty-six hours in contact with the superior forces of the German invaders. During that time they maintained the best traditions of the British soldier and behaved with the utmost gallantry. The movements they have been called upon to execute have those which demanded the greatest steadiness of soldier and skill in the commanders."

## AMERICAN VOLUNTEERS TO FIGHT FOR FRANCE

Paris, Aug. 25.—The Stars and Stripes were seen in the streets of Paris to-day alongside the French tri-color when the corps of American volunteers, 200 strong, march through the city to the St. Lazare railroad station to take a train for Rouen, where they will be drilled under French officers. Among the American volunteers are many young men, who have been studying in Paris. American girls waved their handkerchiefs and clapped their hands as the slender column of volunteers entered the station, while a crowd which filled the square outside cheered.

## BERTRAND PROMOTED BY KING OF BELGIUM

Antwerp, Aug. 25.—An official announcement to-day sets forth that King Albert of Belgium has promoted Lieutenant Bertrand to the rank of full general, as a reward for his excellent conduct before the enemy.

## KAISER'S UNCLE KILLED.

Paris, Aug. 25.—The Journal this afternoon says that it has obtained from an authorized source the news that in a battle fought yesterday an uncle of Emperor William, commanding the Imperial guard, was killed.

## ATTACK ON MALINES THIS MORNING FAILED

French Enter Many Towns During Fighting in Upper Alsace.

London, Aug. 25.—In a dispatch from Antwerp the correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company says that German troops this morning attacked Malines and after a fight which lasted four hours were driven off by the Belgians.

The Belgians pursued the Germans in the direction of Vilvorde.

Basel, Switzerland, Aug. 25.—News has reached here that a French force of Turcos, Zouaves and Senegalese, during the fighting in Upper Alsace, entered and almost destroyed the towns of Flachsland, Jagsdorf, Landser, Brunnstatt, Heilweiler and Morschweiler.

## CONCENTRIC ADVANCE IS GERMANY'S SCHEME

Washington, Aug. 25.—A concentric advance of the German armies toward Paris is probable, the Semole river, Longwy and the greater part of the Belgian-French frontier being in German hands, according to a wireless message to the German embassy from its foreign office received to-day via Sayville, L. I.

It says: "The German troops facing the French troops defeated them in battle from August 17 to 21. Numerous ensigns, more than 150 guns and 10,000 prisoners have been captured. Lunville has been taken, and the army of General Joffre is broken up, and no more capable of action. The German crown prince's army has chased the French west of Longwy. The army of the Duke of Wurtemberg, marching through Belgium has crossed the river Semole, completely crushing the advancing French army. Numerous guns, ensigns, prisoners and several generals were captured. The German troops advancing west of the river Meuse toward Mauberg defeated a British cavalry brigade. The river Semole, Longwy and the greater part of the Belgian-French frontier are in German hands. A concentric advance of all the German army forward is probable."

## HURRICANE OF IRON MOWED GERMANS DOWN

Paris, Aug. 25.—A traveler who has come to Paris from Charleroi was a witness of part of the fighting at that place. He has related his experiences as follows: "I was at Forcu, fifteen miles from Erquennes. From where I was stationed I could see the passing for hours of column after column of German infantry. They were subjected to a veritable hurricane of iron from the French artillery and they went down by the dozens. Nevertheless, more came forward to take the place of the slain.

## AUSTRIAN RESERVISTS PRISONERS AT FALMOUTH

Falmouth, Eng., Aug. 25.—The Holland-American liner Potsdam, from New York August 15, arrived here this afternoon with 400 German and Austrian reservists on board.

The reservists were immediately made prisoners of war and are now in the hands of the military authorities.

## BRITISH CASUALTIES

London, Aug. 25.—The British casualties in Belgium, according to an announcement made this evening, are estimated to number 2,000.

## KAISER DECORATES HIS SONS FOR SERVICES

Berlin, Aug. 25.—Emperor William has conferred the decoration of the Iron Cross of the first and second class on Crown Prince Frederick William and Duke Albrecht of Wurttemberg. He has conferred also the Iron Cross decoration of the second class on his son Prince Oskar.

His majesty has sent the following telegram to the crown princess: "I thank thee with all heart, dear child. I rejoice with thee over the first victory of Wilhelm. God has been on our side and has most brilliantly aided us. To Him the thanks and honor. I remit to Wilhelm the Iron Cross of the second and first class. Oskar also fought brilliantly with the Grenadiers. He has received the Iron Cross of the second class. Repeat that to his and Marie. God protect and bless my boys. Also in the future God be with thee now and always. (Signed) PAPA WILHELM."

## PATRIOTIC JAPANESE OFFER FOR SERVICE

Tokio, Aug. 25.—There are many indications in Tokio that Japan is conducting her hostilities against Kiau Chau, the German leased territory in China, with the greatest deliberation and circumspection. She desires to avoid any needless sacrifice of life, and will not risk her warships unnecessarily. It is reported that a number of mines have been seen floating in the waters around Kiau Chau.

A number of Japanese sailors and soldiers have written a petition to their superiors, signing the document with their blood, in which they ask to be selected to go to the front.

The navy department said to-day it had no knowledge of a reported attack on Tsing Tau by a British torpedo boat destroyer.

The Japanese peace association has resolved to send a communication to the international peace association, whose headquarters are at Berne, Switzerland, asking this association to labor with the belligerent powers for the speedy restoration of peace.

## FIFTH CONGREGATION OF CARDINALS HELD

Diplomatic Reception Held at Rome With Austrian Ambassador at Head.

Rome, Aug. 25.—Owing to their feebleness, several of the cardinals who will attend the conclave to select a successor to Pope Pius X. will be given rooms in the Vatican near the Sistine Chapel, where the balloting will be held twice daily. Other cardinals have been notified that they may attend in their rooms, thus avoiding fatigue of going every morning to the Pauline chapel.

The high conclave of cardinals was held to-day in the conclave hall. The meeting was short, owing to the diplomatic reception which immediately followed. The diplomats were headed by Prince Schoenburg Hartenstein, Austrian ambassador, the dean of the corps. Other countries at present engaged in warfare were represented by the ministers to the Holy See from Prussia, Bavaria, Russia and Belgium. The only other European country represented was Spain, the remainder of the diplomats being from Latin American countries.

The Austrian ambassador delivered an address of condolence on the death of Pope Pius X. Reply was made by Cardinal Serafino Vannutelli.

## SERVICE ALLOWANCES FOR OFFICERS AND MEN

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—Canadian regulations covering yearly rates to officers and men on account of wounds or illness sustained on active service are made public. They are as follows:

	When only slightly materially injured	When materially injured	When wholly incapacitated
Lieut.-Colonel	\$600	\$750	\$1,200
Major	400	600	800
Captain	300	450	600
Lieut. Colonel	200	300	400
Sgt.-Major	150	225	300
Sergeant	100	150	200
Corporal	75	112 1/2	150
Private	50	75	100

## TAKING MEAT-GRINDER TO USE AS EVIDENCE

Eugene, Ore., Aug. 25.—With a tremendous meat grinder, nearly four inches across the mouth, found in the Innes home on the McKenzie and being taken to Texas as evidence purporting to be the instrument used by Innes in disposing of the bodies of Mrs. Eloise Dennis and Miss Beatrice Nelms, Deputy Sheriff W. G. Newton, Jr., of Texas, left here at 7:35 o'clock this morning with Mr. and Mrs. Innes, charged with murder, for San Antonio, Texas. They will go by way of Portland, Ore., and expect to remain in that city a day before leaving for Texas.

## TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE	First game	R	H	E.
At Philadelphia—				
St. Louis	.....	0	3	4
Philadelphia	.....	9	15	2
Batteries: Leverenz, Buckley and Agnew; Bressler, Mitchell and Schang, Hale.				
At Boston—				
Boston	.....	3	5	1
Batteries: Mitchell and O'Neill; Shore, Wood and Cady.				
At Washington—				
Detroit	.....	2	8	3
Washington	.....	1	4	3
Batteries: Reynolds and Stanage; Johnson and Almsmith.				

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Brooklyn—Cincinnati-Brooklyn game postponed; rain.

New York-St. Louis game postponed; rain.

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Crosse & Blackwell Olive Oil .....	.50	Bohemian Club Olive Oil, gal. ....	4.00
Crosse & Blackwell Olive Oil .....	.25	Bohemian Club Olive Oil, gal. ....	2.50
Bohemian Club Olive Oil .....	1.00	Jars .....	2.50
Bohemian Club Olive Oil .....	.50	Armour's Olive Oil, gal. tins. ....	1.50
Bohemian Club Olive Oil .....	.30	James Plagnol Olive Oil, gal. ....	4.50
Noel's Huile Vierge Olive Oil .....	1.00	Cresca Italian Olive Oil, gal. ....	4.00
Cresca Italian Olive Oil .....	1.25	Dixie Salad Oil, gallon .....	1.50
Cresca Pinard Brand Olive Oil .....	.50	Dixie Salad Oil, bottles, .25 and .50	
Cresca Pinard Brand Olive Oil .....	.35		
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## EARLY CLOSING NOW SETTLED BY BY-LAW

Council Repeals Existing By-laws, and Passes Measure Effective Sept. 14

Progress was made by the city council last evening in connection with the early closing of stores movement, which has been before the aldermen in various forms since March last. A by-law was introduced by Alderman McCandless, providing for the repeal of the by-laws affecting grocers, watchmakers and jewelers, clothiers and boot and shoe businesses, which were passed a decade ago, but which had fallen into disuse. These being repealed, a new measure was passed, to be effective in three weeks' time. A penalty of \$50 is fixed for the infringement of the measure.

The two principal clauses are:  
1. Unless the context otherwise requires, the following words and expressions in this by-law shall have the meaning hereby assigned to them respectively, that is to say:

"Shop" means any building or portion of a building, booth, stall or place where goods are exposed or offered for sale by retail, but not where the only trade or business carried on is that of tobacconist, newsagent, hotel, inn, tavern, victualling-house or refreshment-house, nor any premises wherein, under license, liquor as defined by section 2 of the Municipal Act is sold by retail for consumption on the premises, nor auction-rooms, pawnbrokers' shops, nor shops in which second-hand goods or wares are bought, sold or offered for sale. "Closed" means not open for the service of any customer.

2. From and after the fourteenth day of September, 1914, in each and every year, all classes of shops, except fruit shops, drug shops, confectioneries and dairies, within the city of Victoria, and each of them, shall be closed and remain closed on every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday (not being a statutory holiday) of every week at the hour of 6 o'clock of the afternoon and on every Saturday (not being a statutory legal holiday) of every week at the hour of 9.30 o'clock of the afternoon, and continuously after such respective times until midnight of every such day, provided however that on any of such days, viz., Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday as aforesaid, if such day immediately precedes a statutory legal holiday, and on every day (not being Sunday or a statutory legal holiday) between the 15th and 31st days of December inclusive, the hour of closing shall be 9.30 o'clock in the afternoon instead of six o'clock in the afternoon.

## TERMS ARE ANNOUNCED

Low Price Is to Be Charged Saanich for Water in Bulk From Sooke Lake.

The terms of the arrangement with Saanich council for the sale of water in bulk by the city to Saanich were presented by the water commissioner to the city council last evening so that they might be ratified by the aldermen. The Saanich council will have an opportunity to ratify them at its meeting this evening.

For quantities above 2,000,000 gallons per day the rate is to be fixed at 10 cents a thousand gallons for the amount above one million gallons; for quantities from 1,000,000 gallons to 2,000,000 gallons the rate is to be five cents for the amount above one million gallons, with six cents for the first million gallons, and for quantities under 1,000,000 gallons per day, six cents. The Saanich council is to pay for all connections and the agreement is to remain in existence for ten years. If water is to be used for irrigation purposes, a new arrangement may be made. Consumers in the Saanich council's area are not to be charged a less rate than consumers in the city. The agreement is to come into force when the Sooke waterworks are opened.

## WILL PREPARE NEXT YEAR'S PAVING PLAN

Committee of City Council Appointed to Suggest Scheme for 1915

Improvement of the system under which the city prepares its annual list of local improvement works was urged in a lengthy resolution before the aldermen at the city council meeting last evening. Alderman Todd submitted the motion which called for a committee to report prior to the meeting on October 5, the committee to be composed of three aldermen and the city engineer. This committee was constituted.

Alderman Todd expressed the opinion in moving the resolution that advantages would be derived from having a paving programme ready for the coming year, as it would avoid mistakes which had arisen in past summers.

Alderman Bell did not think the resolution well advised, particularly at the present time. It was not the duty of the council in 1914 to legislate for its successor. The present council had spent its time cleaning up by-laws, and there would be plenty of time to prepare a programme next year. "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof in this case as in all others," he observed.

Alderman Porter contended that the resolution did not more than plan for the future, leaving it to a future council to determine on policy.

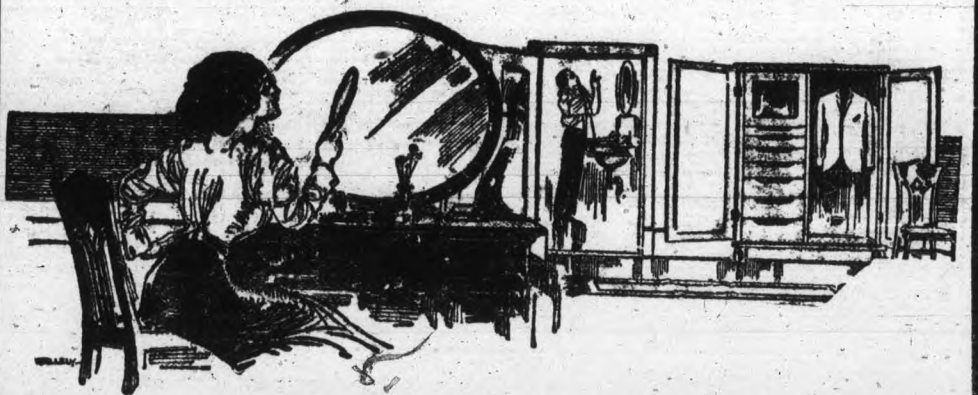
Alderman Todd believed it would be better for an incoming council to have some streets ready for it to start with on taking office.

Making his maiden speech in council Alderman McMicking advocated a solution which so far the legislature has not considered favorable. He suggested the election of members of the council for periods of more than one year, or for periods of more than one year.

Alderman Sargent was dubious as to whether the present time was the best to push the improvement of new streets.

The resolution was then agreed to, and Alderman Todd, Porter and Okell were named members of the committee. The engineer is also a member. A report is to be in by October 5.

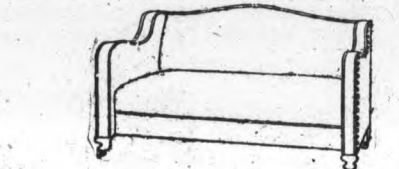
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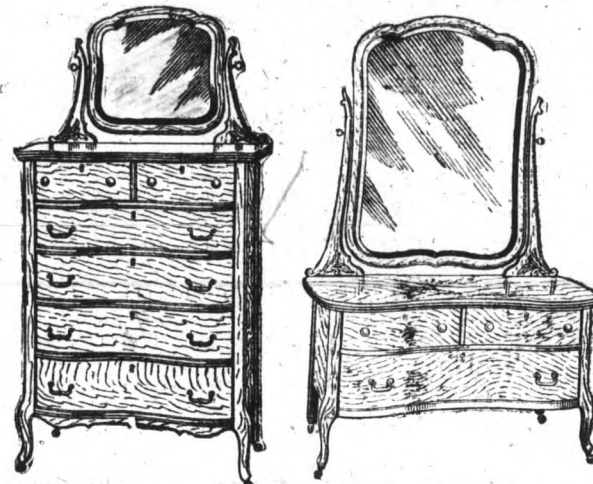


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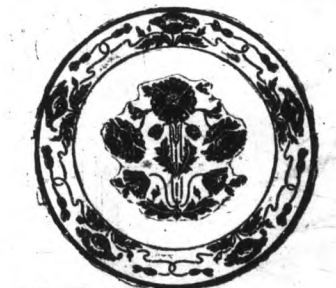
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